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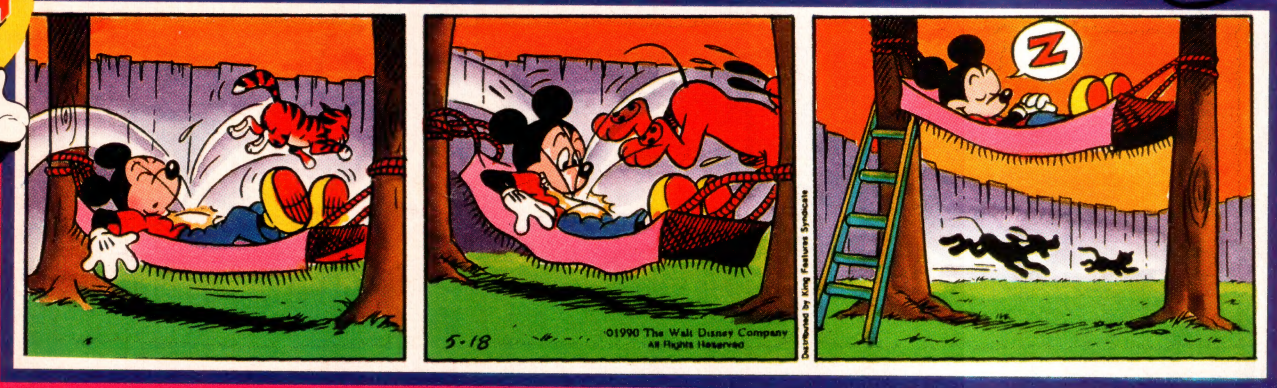
Hi, everyone!

Ah, there you are! I thought you'd never get round to reading this! Obviously too busy seeing what your mystery gift is on page 24! I hope you like it. You may have seen it before, but the truth is, it is one of the many gifts that has proved to be so popular with all of you that you asked for more!

Now, if you could possibly devote some time to Mickey and friends, the comic, let's get on with the show...

Mickey



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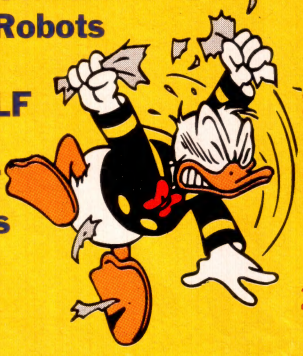

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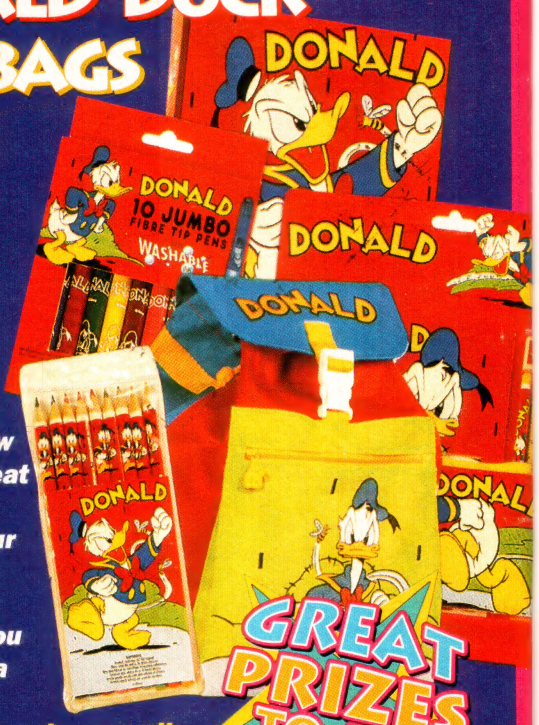

As you're all back off to school in a couple of week's time, ("oh, no" - we hear you shout!) what better way to start a new term than with some great new school gear!

You'll be the envy of your classmates with one of these goody bags containing everything you need from an eraser to a rucksack!

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SCROOGE AND GYRO

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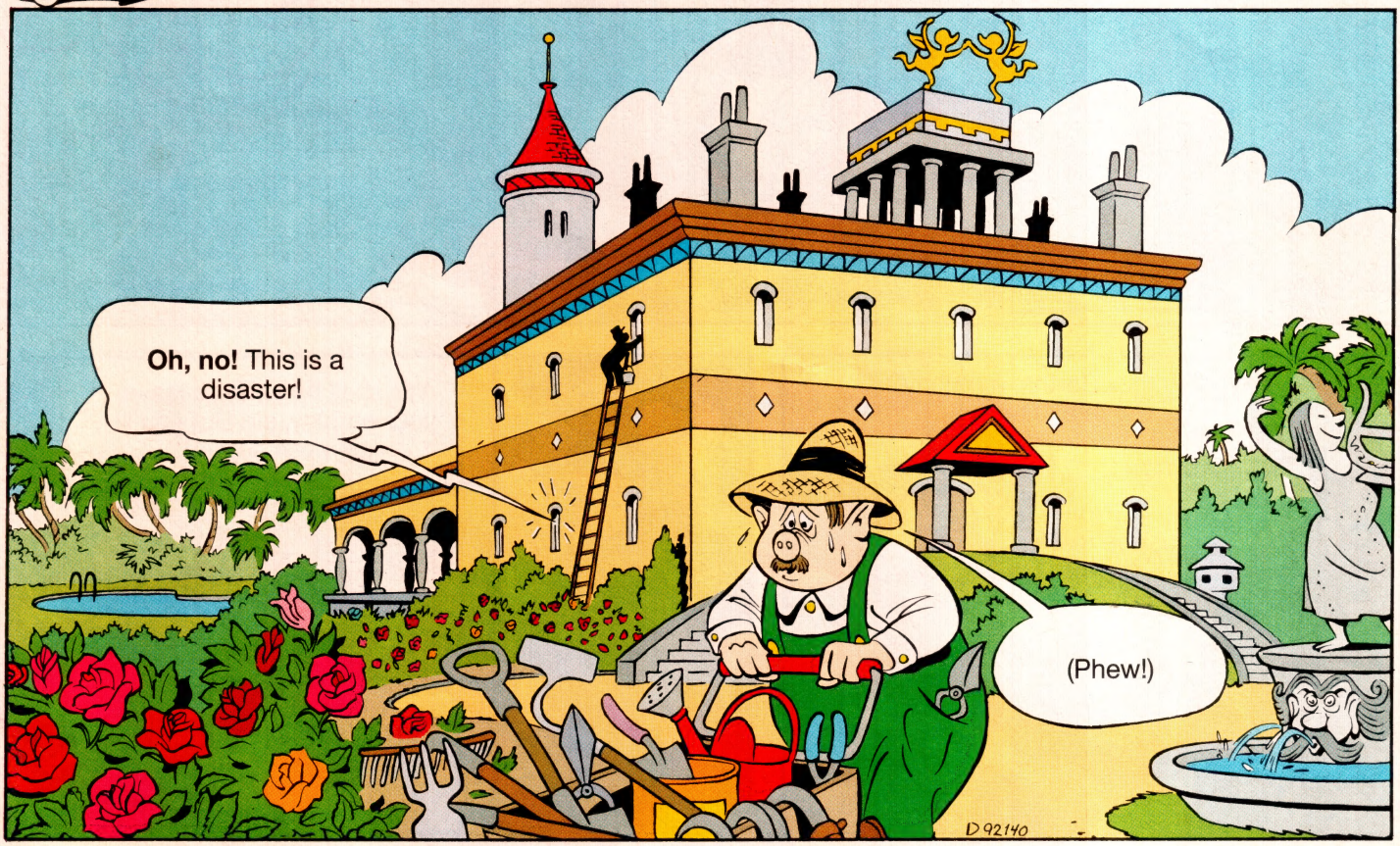
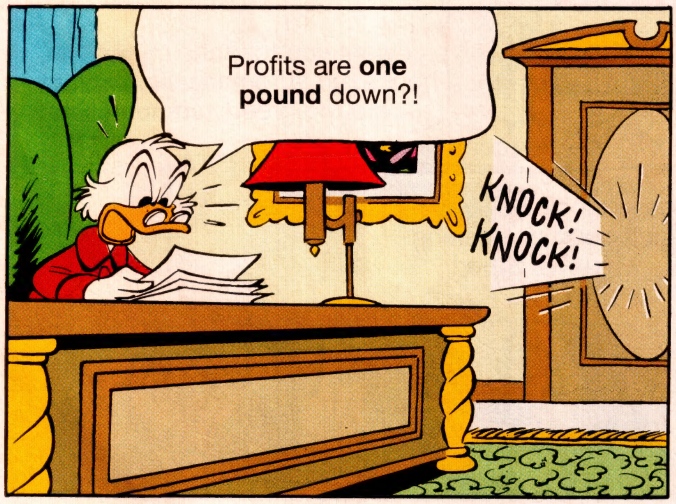
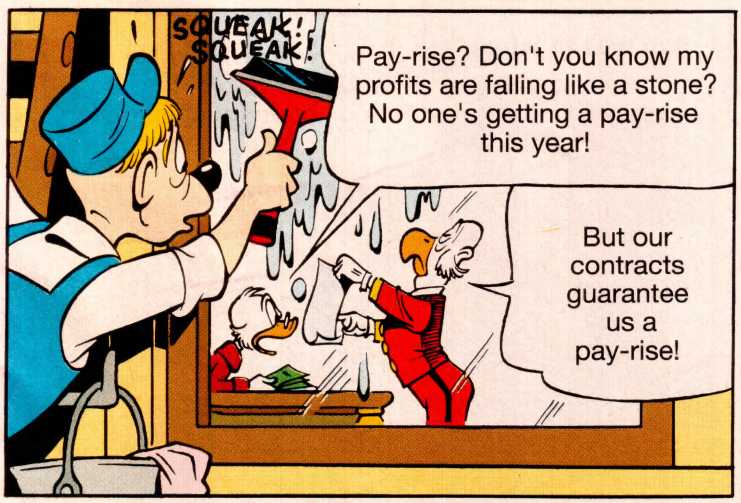
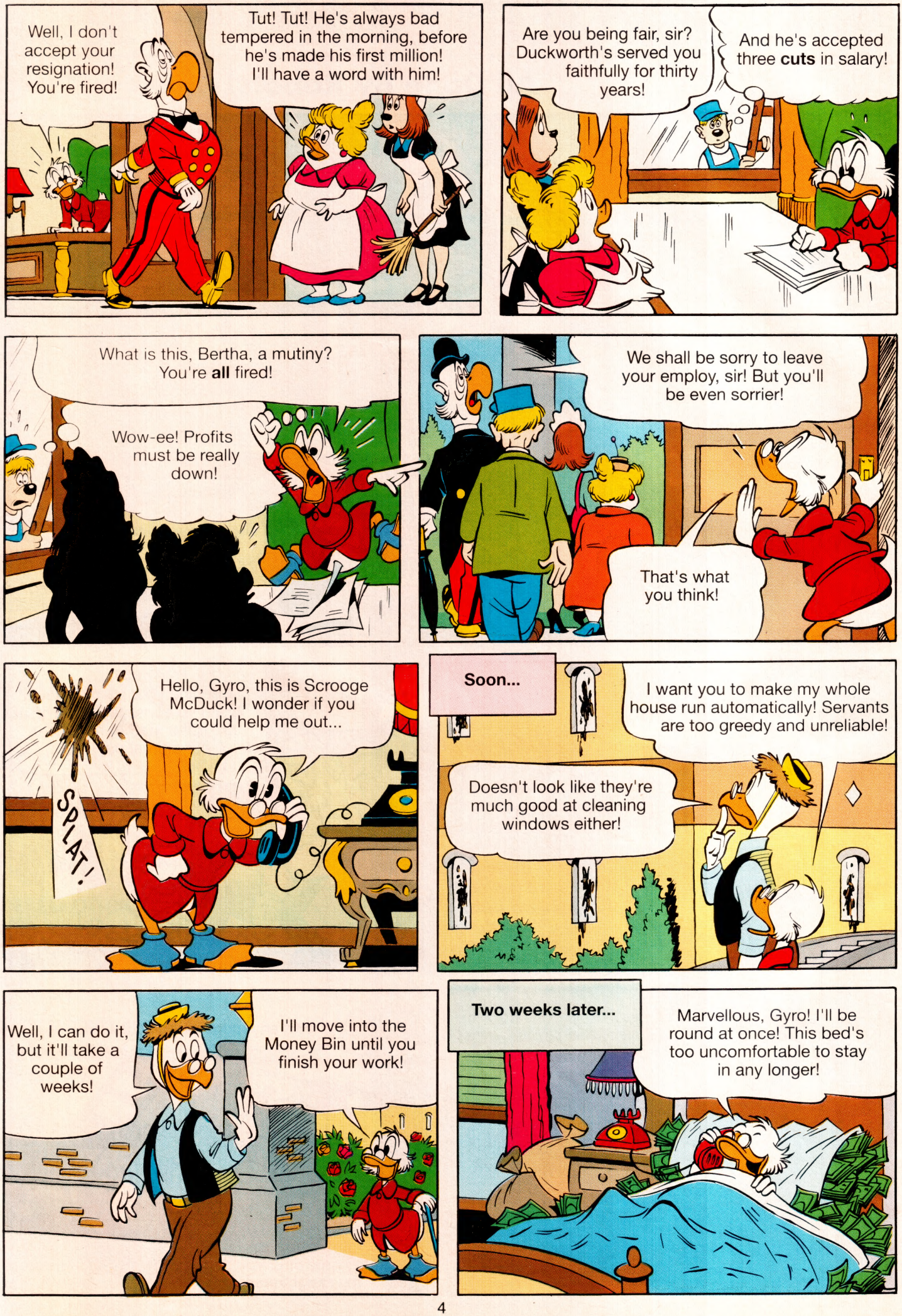
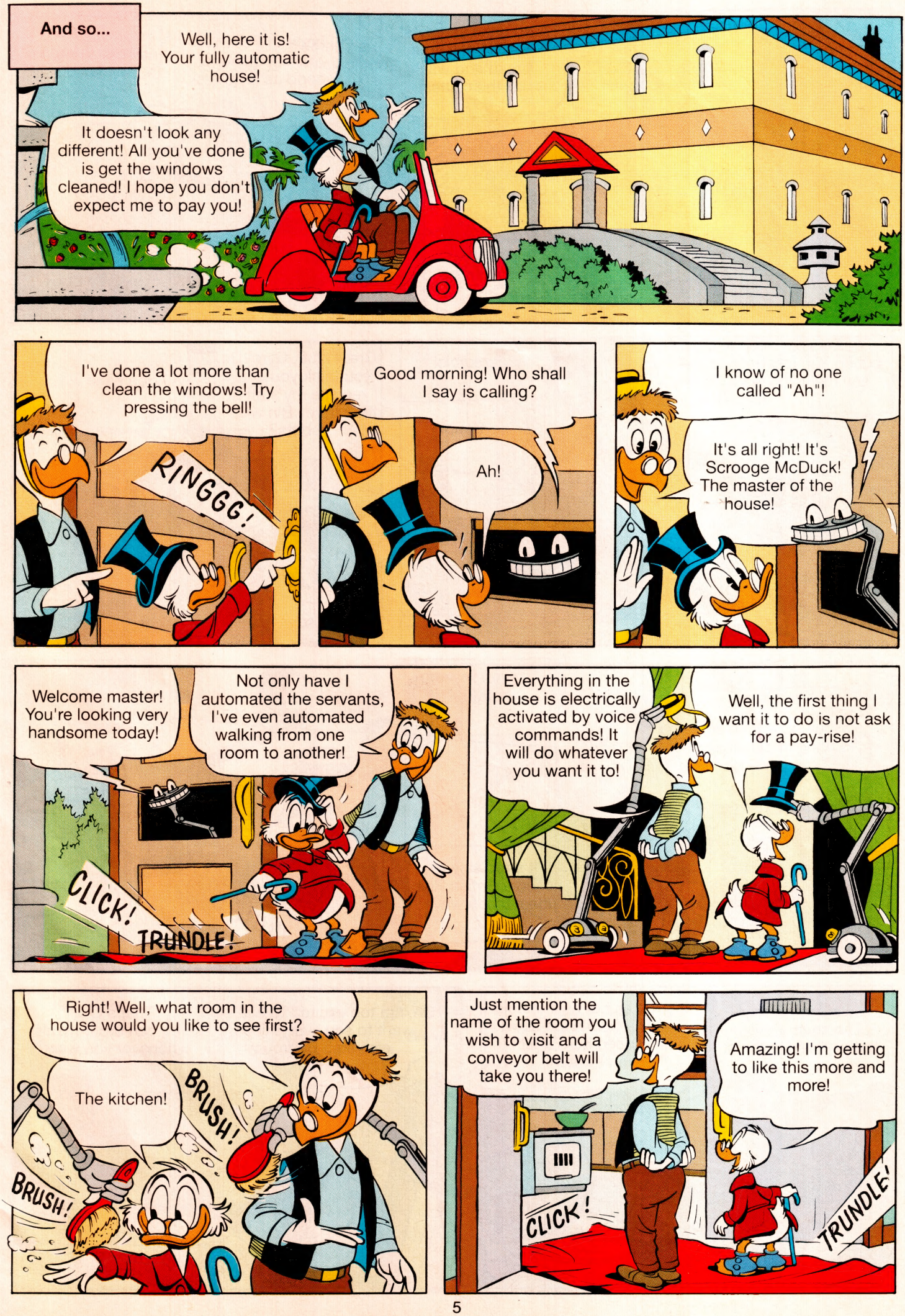


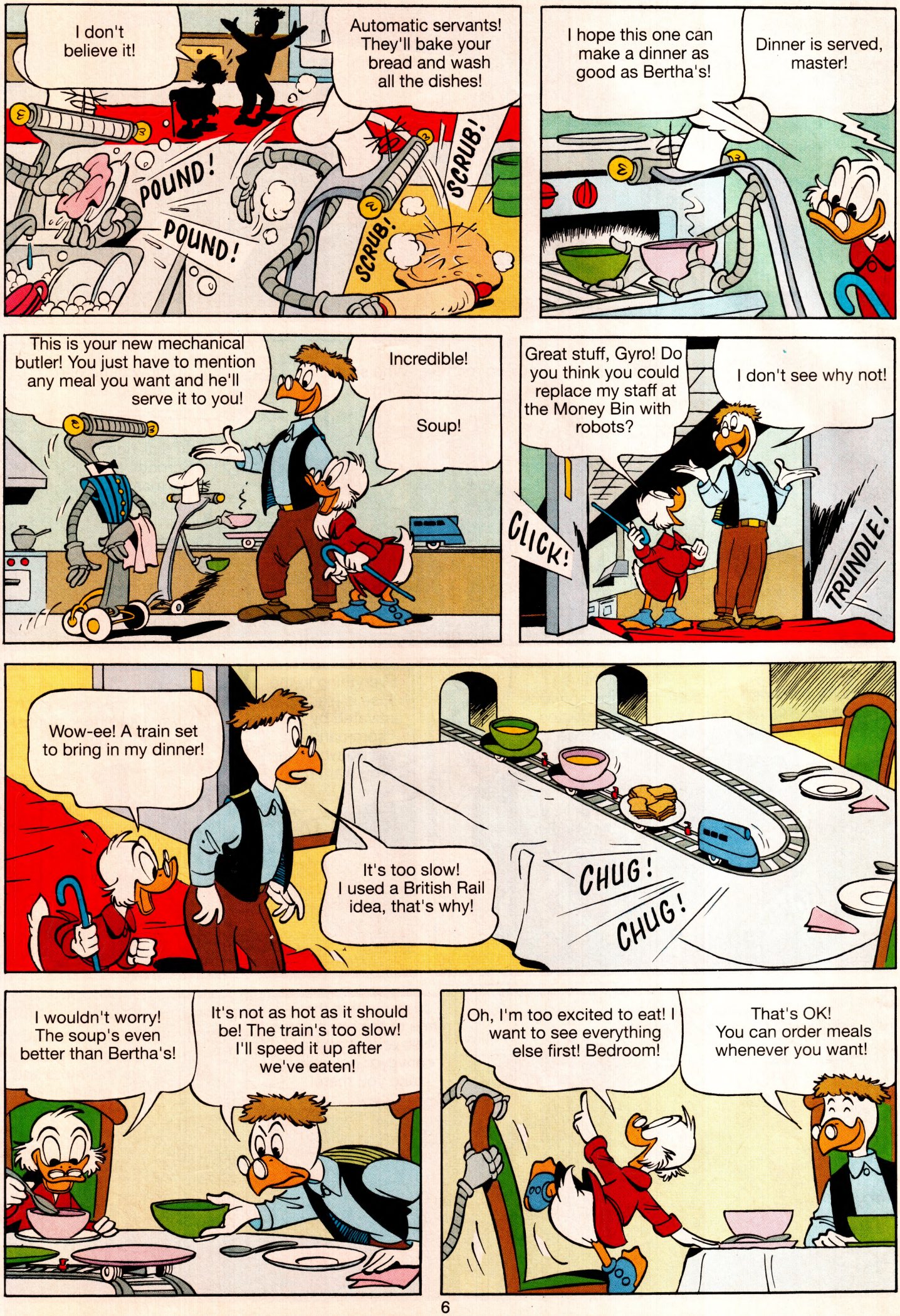


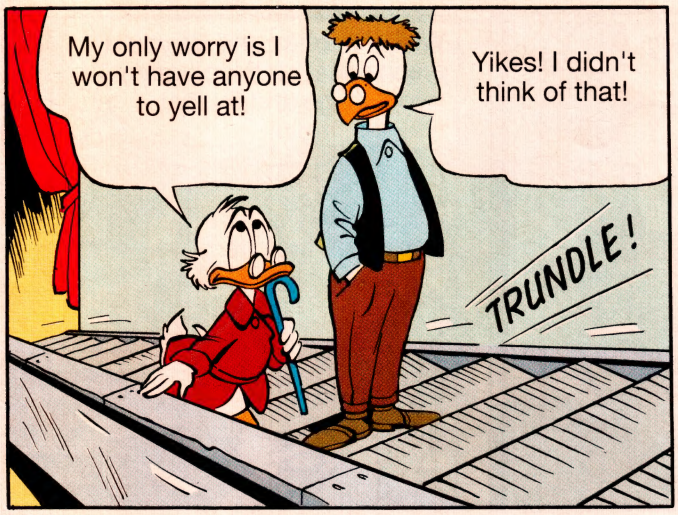

SQUEAK! SQUEAK!
Pay-rise? Don't you know my profits are falling like a stone? No one's getting a pay-rise this year!
But our contracts guarantee us a pay-rise!

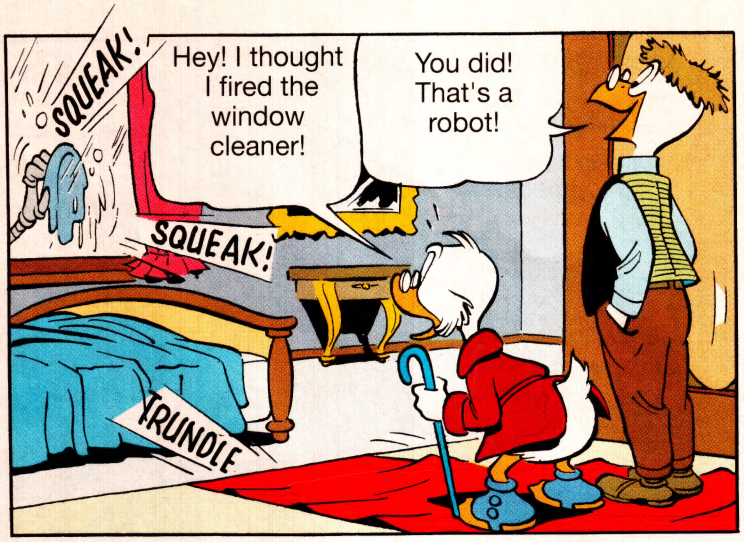
Not any more they don't!
RIP! TEAR!
Very well, sir! But our contracts also prevented us from resigning! So I now offer you my resignation!


Well, I don't accept your resignation! You're fired!
Tut! Tut! He's always bad tempered in the morning, before he's made his first million! I'll have a word with him!
Are you being fair, sir? Duckworth's served you faithfully for thirty years!
And he's accepted three **cuts** in salary!
What is this, Bertha, a mutiny? You're **all** fired!
Wow-ee! Profits must be really down!
We shall be sorry to leave your employ, sir! But you'll be even sorrier!
That's what you think!
Hello, Gyro, this is Scrooge McDuck! I wonder if you could help me out...
SPLAT!
Soon...
I want you to make my whole house run automatically! Servants are too greedy and unreliable!
Doesn't look like they're much good at cleaning windows either!
Well, I can do it, but it'll take a couple of weeks!
I'll move into the Money Bin until you finish your work!
Two weeks later...
Marvellous, Gyro! I'll be round at once! This bed's too uncomfortable to stay in any longer!


And so...
Well, here it is! Your fully automatic house!
It doesn't look any different! All you've done is get the windows cleaned! I hope you don't expect me to pay you!
I've done a lot more than clean the windows! Try pressing the bell!
RINGGG!
Good morning! Who shall I say is calling?
Ah!
I know of no one called "Ah"!
It's all right! It's Scrooge McDuck! The master of the house!
Welcome master! You're looking very handsome today!
Not only have I automated the servants, I've even automated walking from one room to another!
CLICK!
TRUNDLE!
Everything in the house is electrically activated by voice commands! It will do whatever you want it to!
Well, the first thing I want it to do is not ask for a pay-rise!
Right! Well, what room in the house would you like to see first?
The kitchen!
BRUSH!
BRUSH!
Just mention the name of the room you wish to visit and a conveyor belt will take you there!
Amazing! I'm getting to like this more and more!
CLICK!
TRUNDLE!

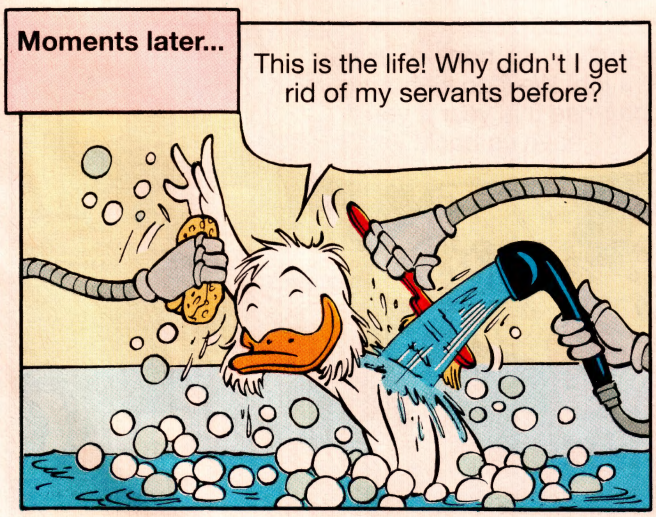

I don't believe it!
Automatic servants! They'll bake your bread and wash all the dishes!
POUND!
POUND!
SCRUB!
SCRUB!
I hope this one can make a dinner as good as Bertha's!
Dinner is served, master!
This is your new mechanical butler! You just have to mention any meal you want and he'll serve it to you!
Incredible!
Soup!
Great stuff, Gyro! Do you think you could replace my staff at the Money Bin with robots?
I don't see why not!
CLICK!
TRUNDLE!
Wow-ee! A train set to bring in my dinner!
It's too slow! I used a British Rail idea, that's why!
CHUG!
CHUG!
I wouldn't worry! The soup's even better than Bertha's!
It's not as hot as it should be! The train's too slow! I'll speed it up after we've eaten!
Oh, I'm too excited to eat! I want to see everything else first! Bedroom!
That's OK! You can order meals whenever you want!

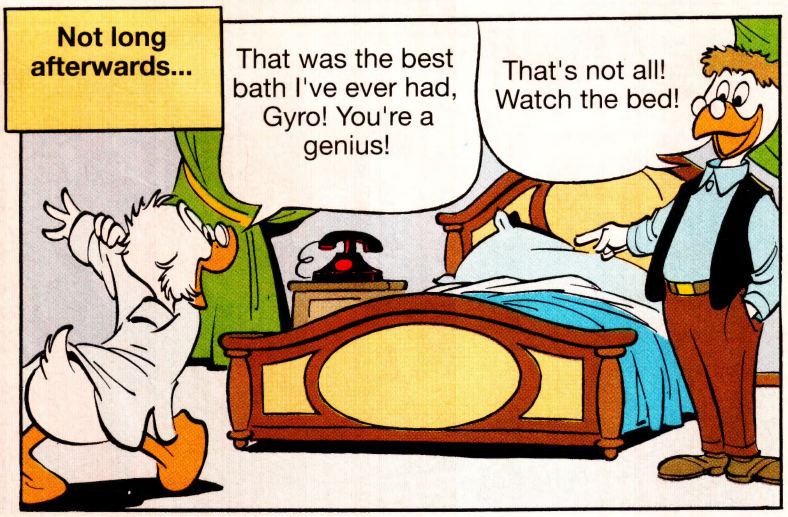

My only worry is I won't have anyone to yell at!
Yikes! I didn't think of that!
TRUNDLE!

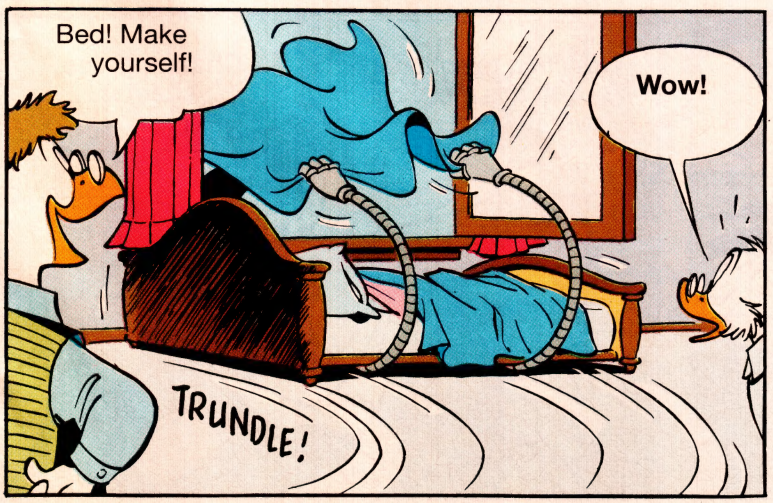

SQUEAK!
Hey! I thought I fired the window cleaner!
You did! That's a robot!
SQUEAK!
TRUNDLE

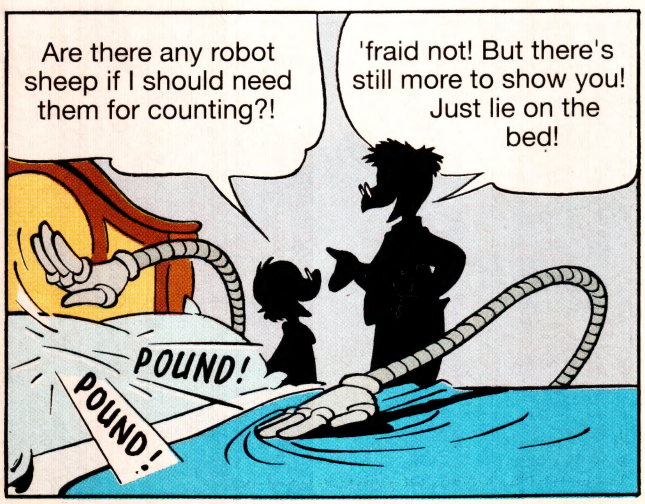
Amazing! What I'd like now is a nice long bath!
Just jump in!

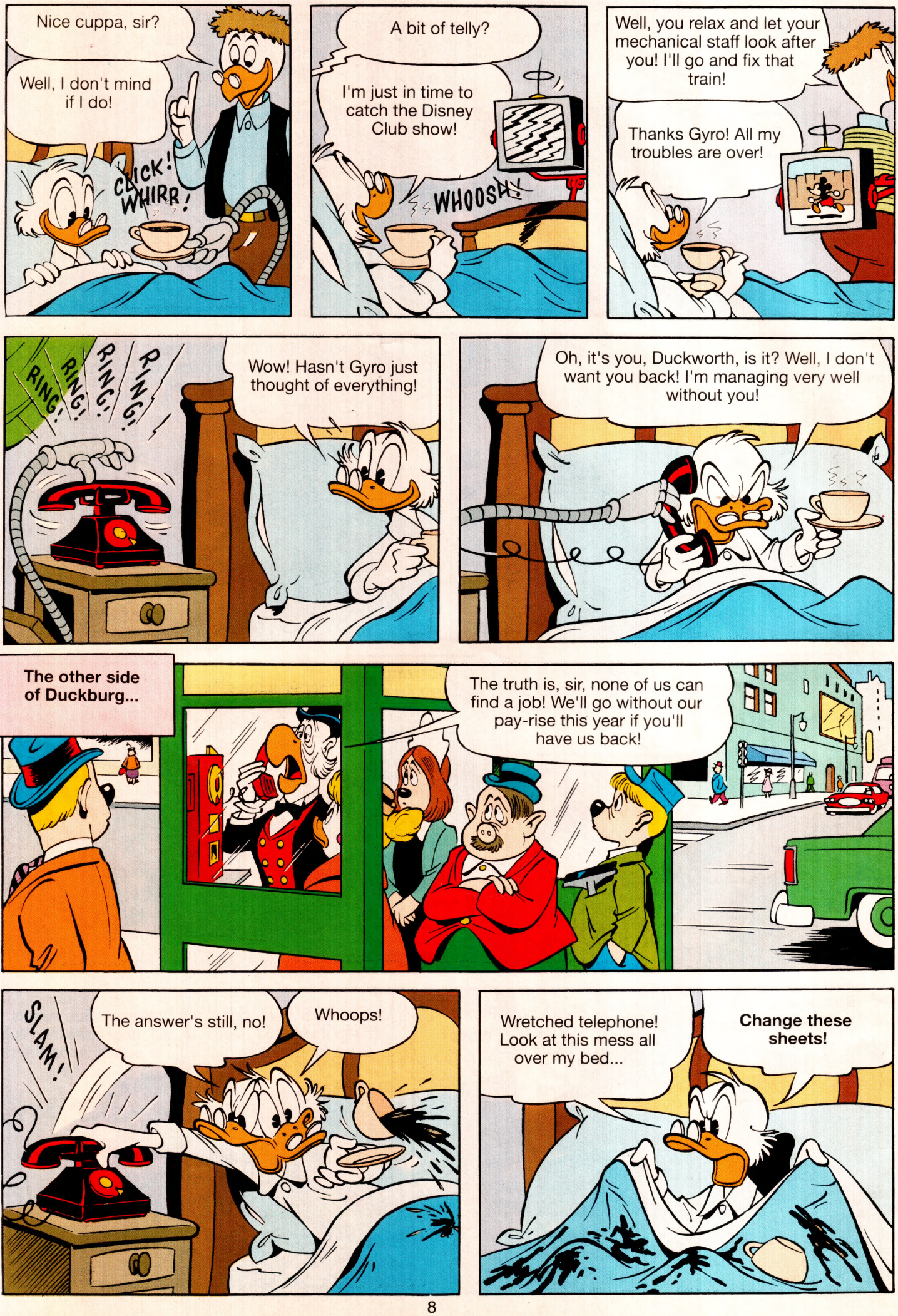
Don't forget to tell it to scrub that bit of your back you can't scrub yourself!
WHIRR!

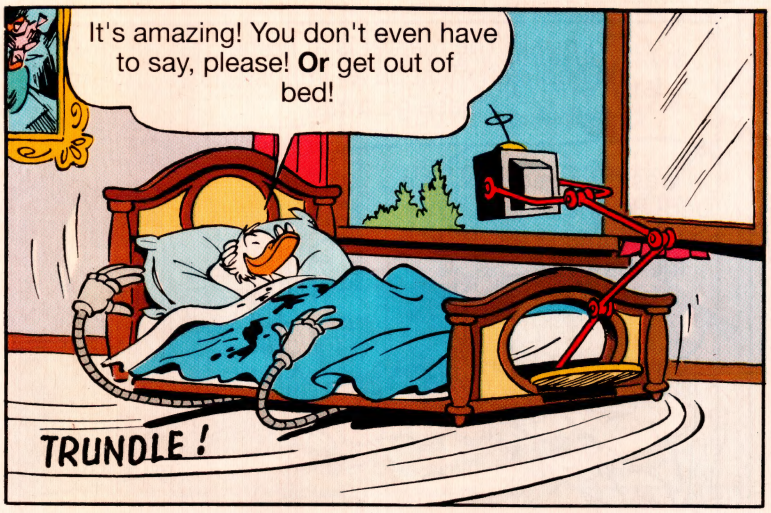

Moments later...
This is the life! Why didn't I get rid of my servants before?

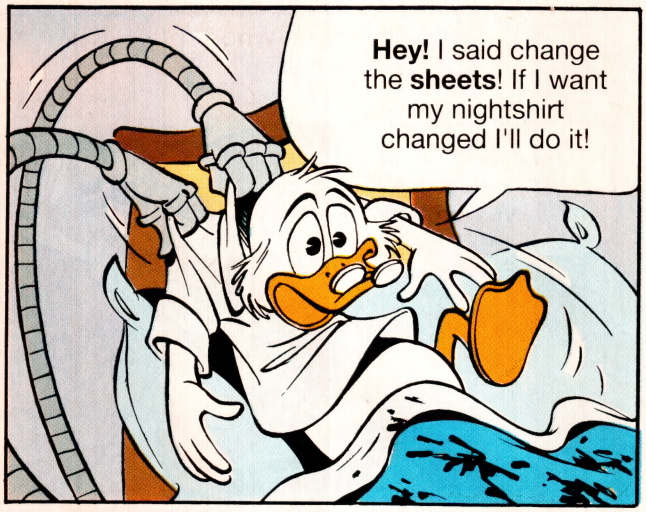

Not long afterwards...
That was the best bath I've ever had, Gyro! You're a genius!
That's not all! Watch the bed!

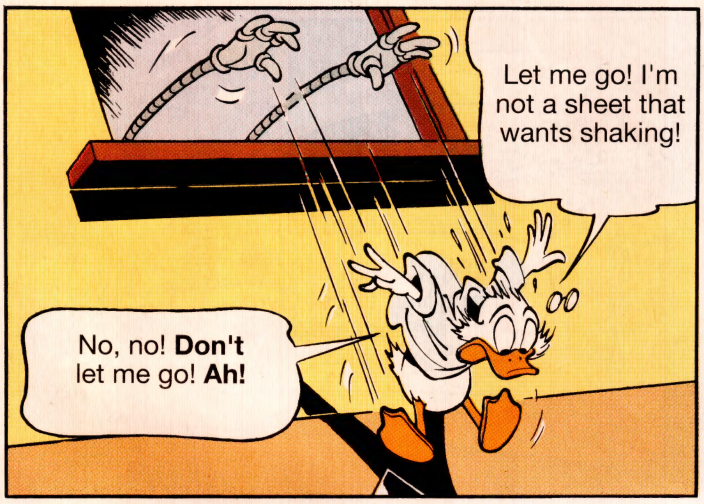

Bed! Make yourself!
Wow!
TRUNDLE!

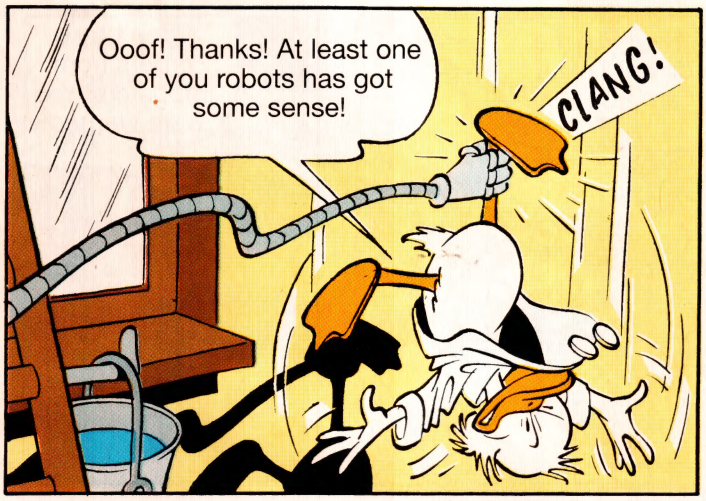

Are there any robot sheep if I should need them for counting?!
'fraid not! But there's still more to show you! Just lie on the bed!
POUND!
POUND!

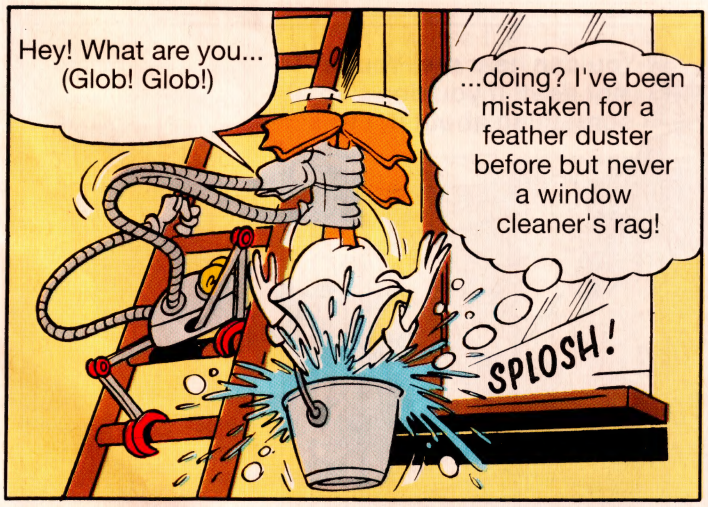

Nice cuppa, sir?
Well, I don't mind if I do!
CLICK!
WHIRR!
A bit of telly?
I'm just in time to catch the Disney Club show!
WHOOSH!
Well, you relax and let your mechanical staff look after you! I'll go and fix that train!
Thanks Gyro! All my troubles are over!
RING!
RING!
RING!
RING!
Wow! Hasn't Gyro just thought of everything!
Oh, it's you, Duckworth, is it? Well, I don't want you back! I'm managing very well without you!
The other side of Duckburg...
The truth is, sir, none of us can find a job! We'll go without our pay-rise this year if you'll have us back!
SLAM!
The answer's still, no!
Whoops!
Wretched telephone! Look at this mess all over my bed...
Change these sheets!

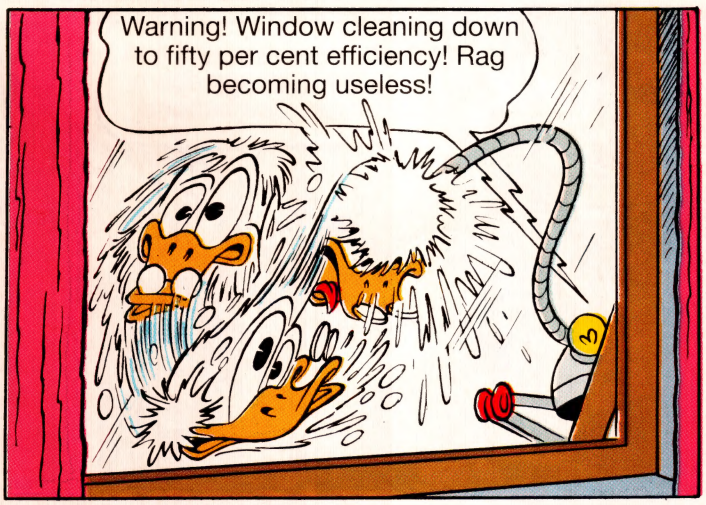

It's amazing! You don't even have to say, please! **Or** get out of bed!
TRUNDLE!

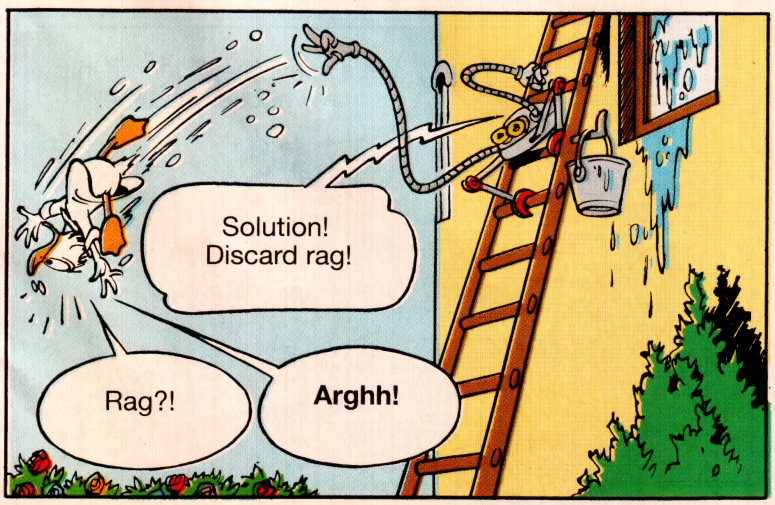

Hey! I said change the **sheets**! If I want my nightshirt changed I'll do it!

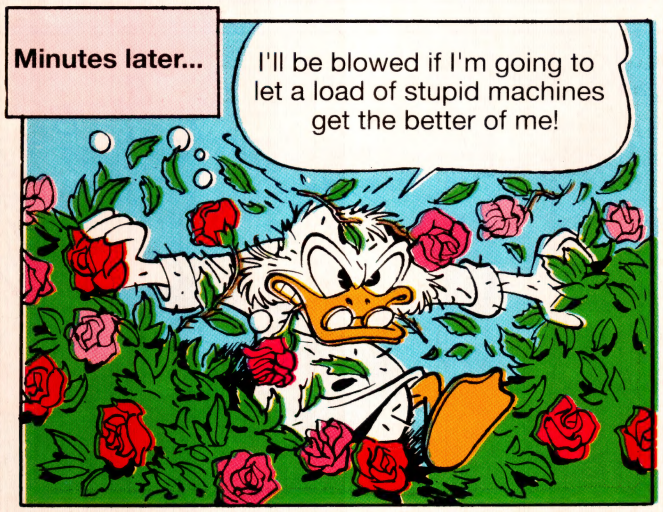

Let me go! I'm not a sheet that wants shaking!
No, no! **Don't** let me go! **Ah!**

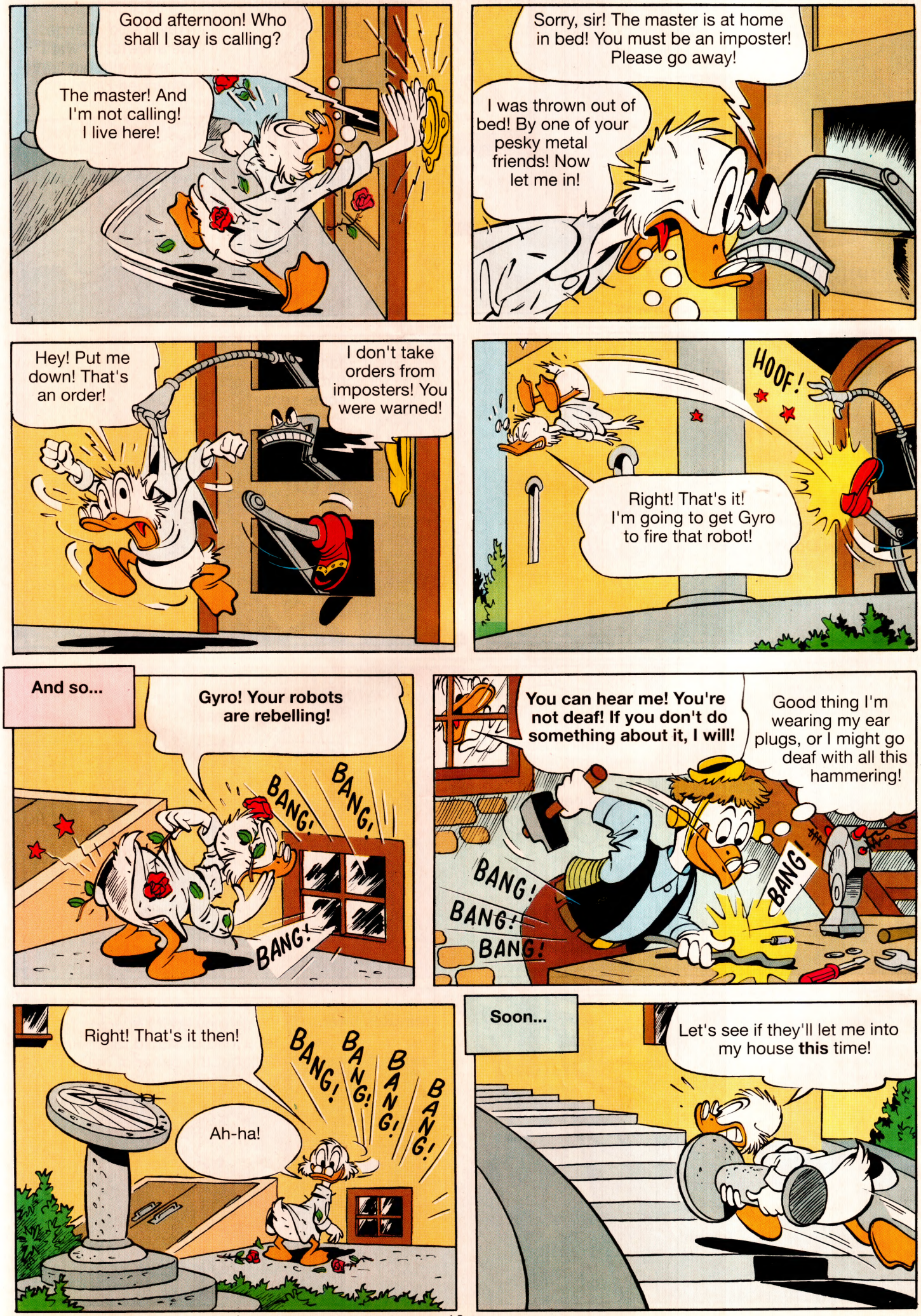

Ooof! Thanks! At least one of you robots has got some sense!
CLANG!

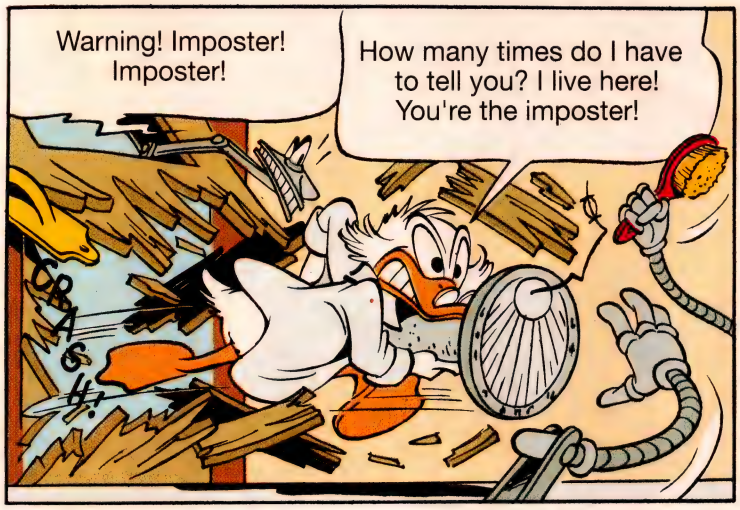

Hey! What are you... (Glob! Glob!)
...doing? I've been mistaken for a feather duster before but never a window cleaner's rag!
SPLOSH!

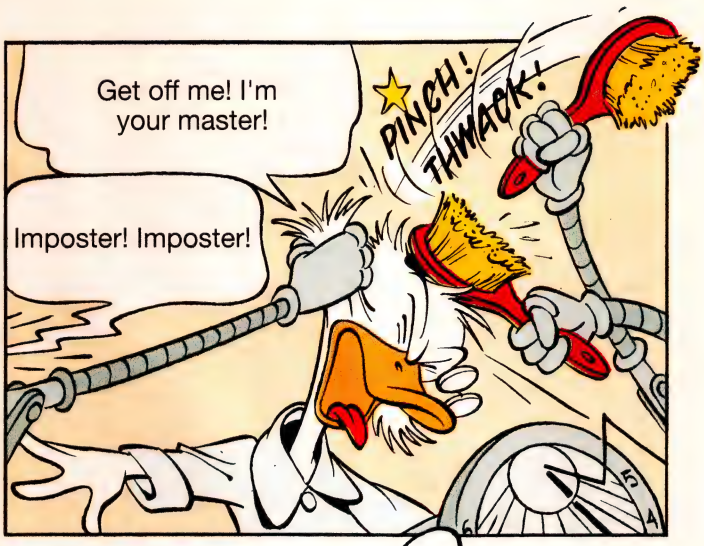

Warning! Window cleaning down to fifty per cent efficiency! Rag becoming useless!

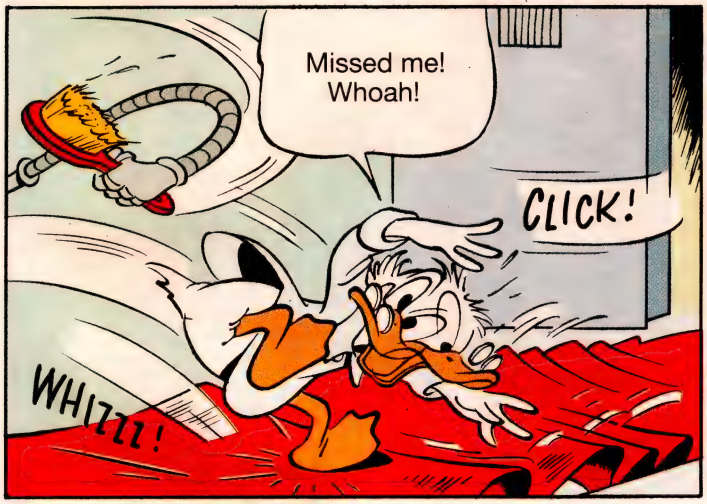

Solution! Discard rag!
Rag?!
Arghh!

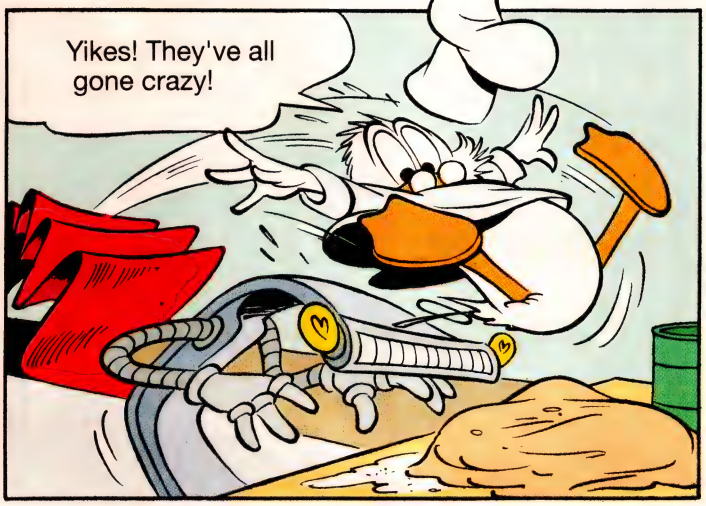

Minutes later...
I'll be blowed if I'm going to let a load of stupid machines get the better of me!

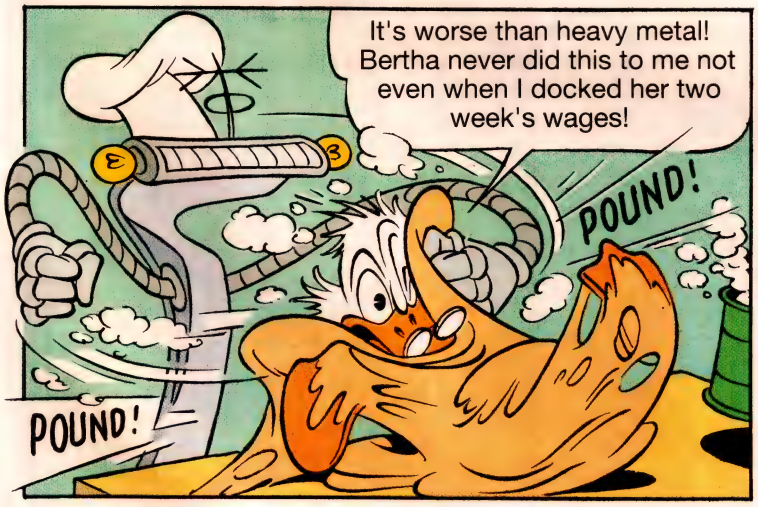

Good afternoon! Who shall I say is calling?
The master! And I'm not calling! I live here!
Sorry, sir! The master is at home in bed! You must be an imposter! Please go away!
I was thrown out of bed! By one of your pesky metal friends! Now let me in!
Hey! Put me down! That's an order!
I don't take orders from imposters! You were warned!
HOOF!
Right! That's it! I'm going to get Gyro to fire that robot!
And so...
Gyro! Your robots are rebelling!
BANG!
BANG!
BANG!
You can hear me! You're not deaf! If you don't do something about it, I will!
Good thing I'm wearing my ear plugs, or I might go deaf with all this hammering!
BANG!
BANG!
BANG!
BANG!
Right! That's it then!
Ah-ha!
BANG!
BANG!
BANG!
BANG!
Soon...
Let's see if they'll let me into my house **this** time!


Warning! Imposter! Imposter!
How many times do I have to tell you? I live here! You're the imposter!
CRASH!

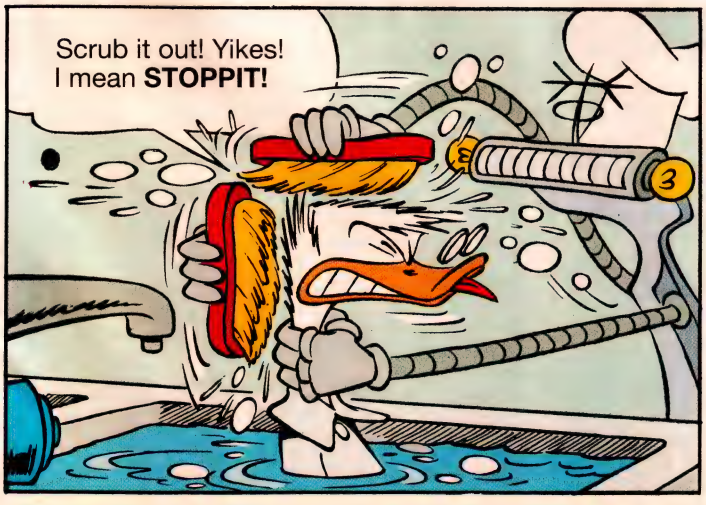

Get off me! I'm your master!
Imposter! Imposter!
PINCH!
THWACK!


Missed me! Whoah!
CLICK!
WHIZZZ!

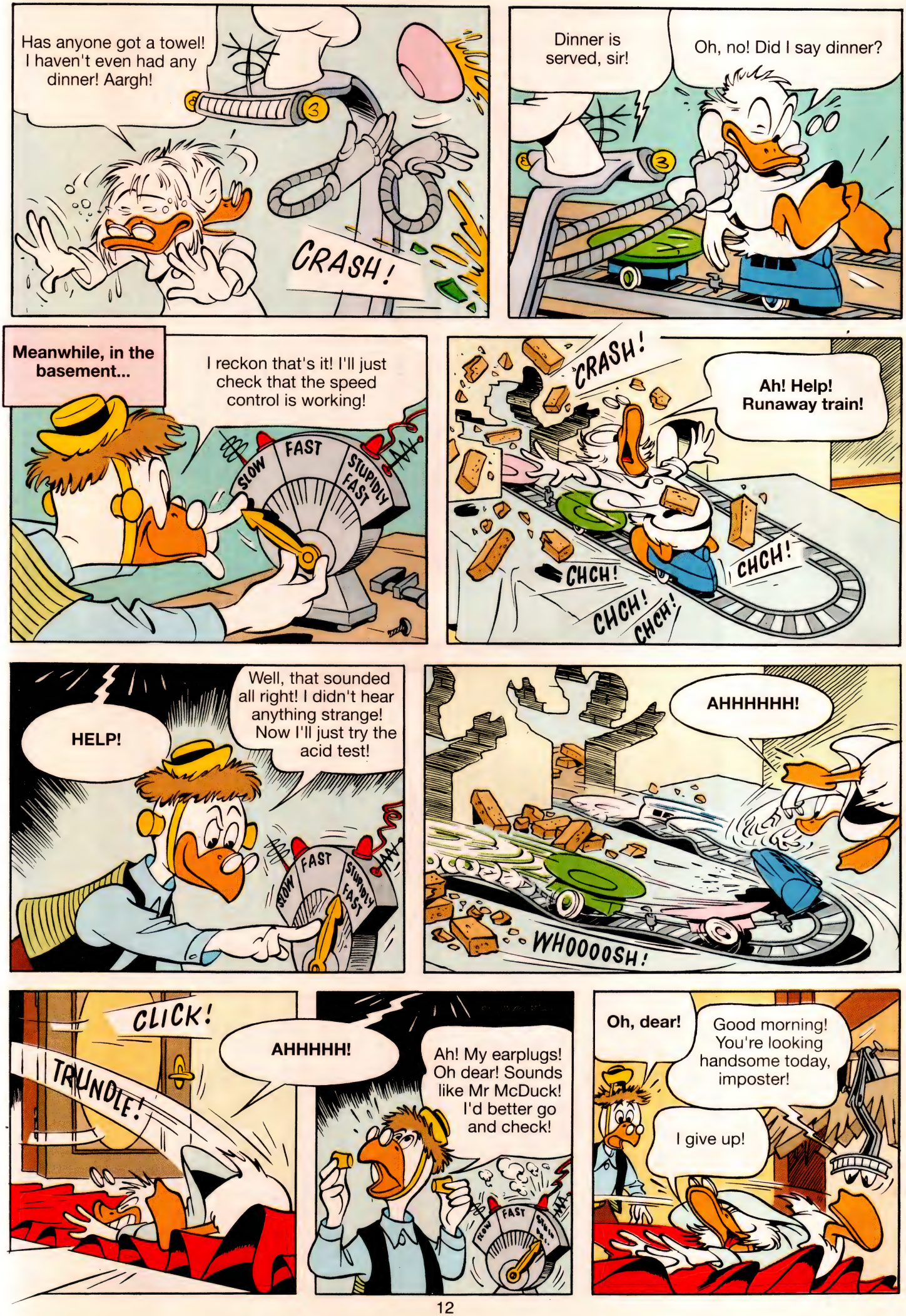

Yikes! They've all gone crazy!


It's worse than heavy metal! Bertha never did this to me not even when I docked her two week's wages!
POUND!
POUND!

Look how dirty you've made me! I'll need another bath now!


Scrub it out! Yikes! I mean **STOPPIT!**

You've got soap in my eyes now! You're the world's most useless robot!


Has anyone got a towel! I haven't even had any dinner! Aargh!
CRASH!
Dinner is served, sir!
Oh, no! Did I say dinner?
Meanwhile, in the basement...
I reckon that's it! I'll just check that the speed control is working!
SLOW
FAST
STUPIDLY FAST
CRASH!
Ah! Help! Runaway train!
CHCH!
CHCH!
CHCH!
CHCH!
HELP!
Well, that sounded all right! I didn't hear anything strange! Now I'll just try the acid test!
AHHHHHH!
WHOOOOSH!
CLICK!
TRUNDLE!
AHHHHH!
Ah! My earplugs! Oh dear! Sounds like Mr McDuck! I'd better go and check!
Oh, dear!
Good morning! You're looking handsome today, imposter!
I give up!

BIFF!
Seems like there's been a malfunction!
Arghh! Not the rose bush again!
Are you all right?
No I'm not! Strip all that homicidal junk out of my house right now!
But, sir! It only needs a few minor adjustments!
Chuck it all away, Gyro, while I go and hire back my original staff!
Two hours later...
They'll be here shortly! Did you get rid of all your confounded robots?
Er... I think so! There were a lot of them, you know!
Excuse me! Please tell Mr McDuck we're back and we're prepared to work for half our old salary!
You see, we haven't been able...
AHHHH!
You won't have to work for half your salary! In fact, if you ask him to double it I'm sure he'll say yes!!

TEST YOURSELF

Do you sit there cringing with embarrassment when the Trivial Pursuit fiends come calling round, or are you first to collect all your cheeses? Test your vast (or lack of!) general knowledge in our quick Are-You-Worthy-To-Play-Triv quiz!

- Music and Pop Stars
- Disney Films and Videos
- History
- Science
- Literature
- Natural History
- Sport
- Geography

1 Where do penguins live?
a) Arctic
b) Antarctic
c) South America

2 What is Shakespeare's first name?
a) George
b) Harold
c) William

3 What Disney villain said this about a crocodile: "That cursed beast liked the taste of me so well, he's followed me ever since..."?
a) Rattigan
b) Wicked Stepmother
c) Captain Hook

4 What is the normal body temperature?
a) 23°c
b) 37°c
c)102°c

5 Is a mongoose...
a) A bird
b) A mammal
c) An insect?

6 What's another name for the bubonic plague?
a) The Rat's Disease
b) The Black Death
c) Dirty Water Death

7 Which sport does the American 'Dream Team' play?
a) Cricket
b) Baseball
c) Basketball

8 What's the capital city of Iceland?
a) Helsinki
b) Oslo
c) Reykjavik

9 Who wrote the book "Dracula"?
a) Graham Greene
b) Mary Shelley
c) Bram Stoker

10 Which football team won two cups this year?
a) Arsenal
b) Manchester United
c) Tottenham Hotspur

11 Which Michael Jackson album sold more than 4 million copies worldwide?
a) Bad
b) Thriller
c) Victory

12 Which is the deepest ocean?
a) Indian Ocean
b) Pacific Ocean
c) Atlantic Ocean

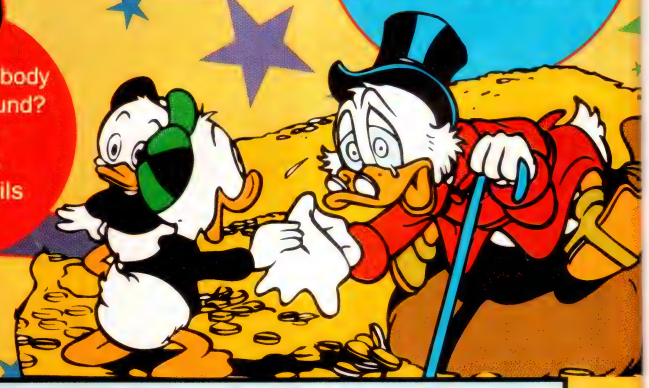
13 What nationality are Uncle Scrooge's ancestors?
a) Scottish
b) Irish
c) American

14 What was the name of Madonna's well known concert tour?
a) Brunette For Success Tour
b) Redhead Runs Riot Tour
c) Blonde Ambition Tour

15 Where in the body is marrow found?
a) Teeth
b) Bones
c) Fingernails

16 What is the name of Mick Jagger's band?
a) Rolling Stones
b) The Moss
c) The Who

17 In medieval England, what were groats, nobles and marks?
a) Lords and Ladies
b) Farm animals
c) Forms of money



Answers:
1b, 2c, 3c, 4b, 5b,
6b, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10a,
11b, 12b, 13a, 14c,
15b, 16a, 17c.

How to score:
Give yourself two points for each correct answer!

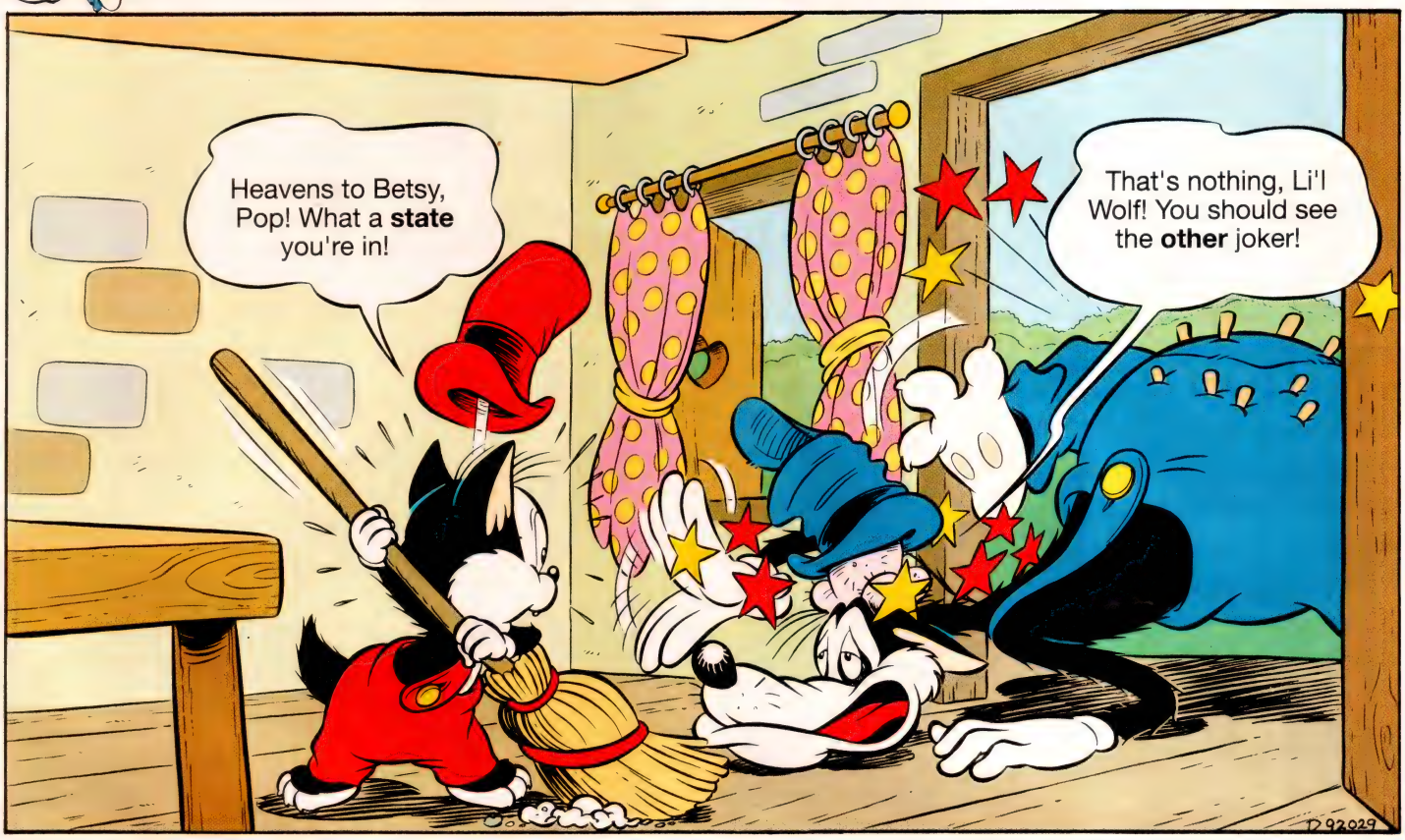
0- 10 points
Okay, so they were pretty tricky questions - but maybe you should spend 10 minutes a day reading an encyclopaedia instead of watching so much telly!

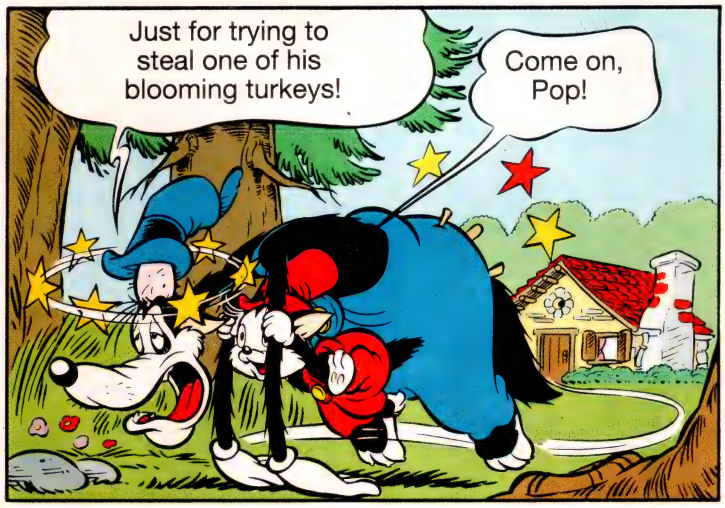
11 - 24 points
Not bad, not bad at all! You are bright, clever and brilliant! It's no wonder you enjoy your copy of *Mickey and friends* so much!

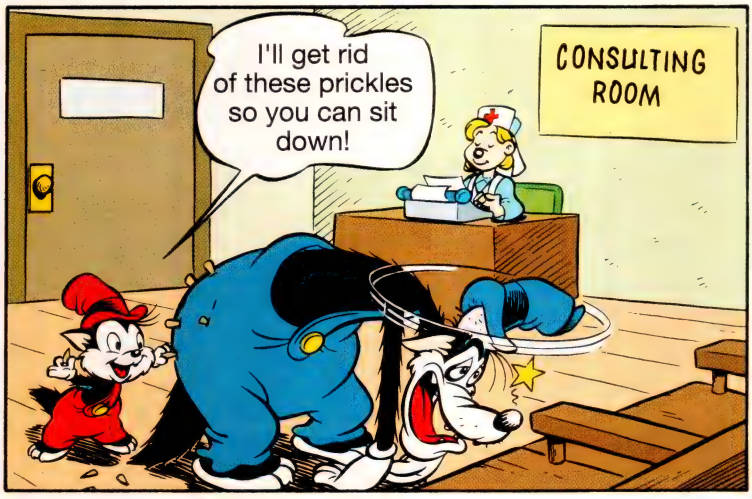
25 - 34 points
You're a genius! You should be on a quiz show or even Mastermind! You are definitely on your way to fame and fortune!

LI'L BAD WOLF

Easy Pickings

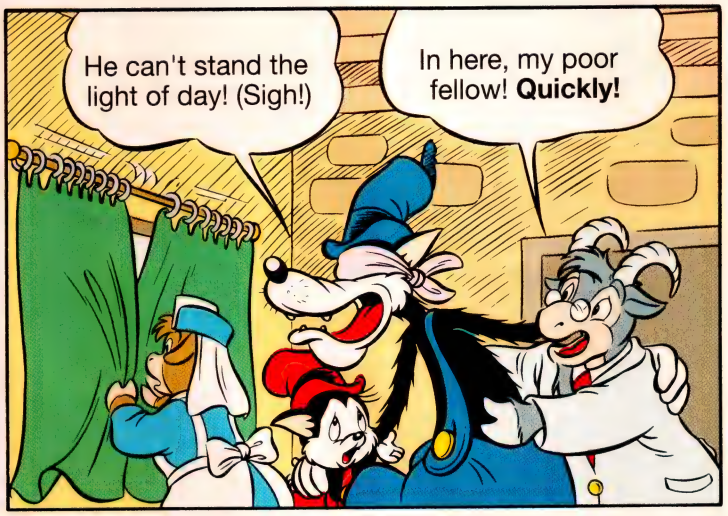


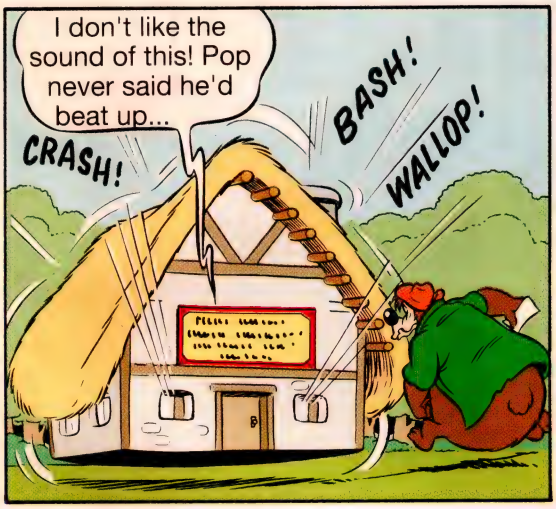


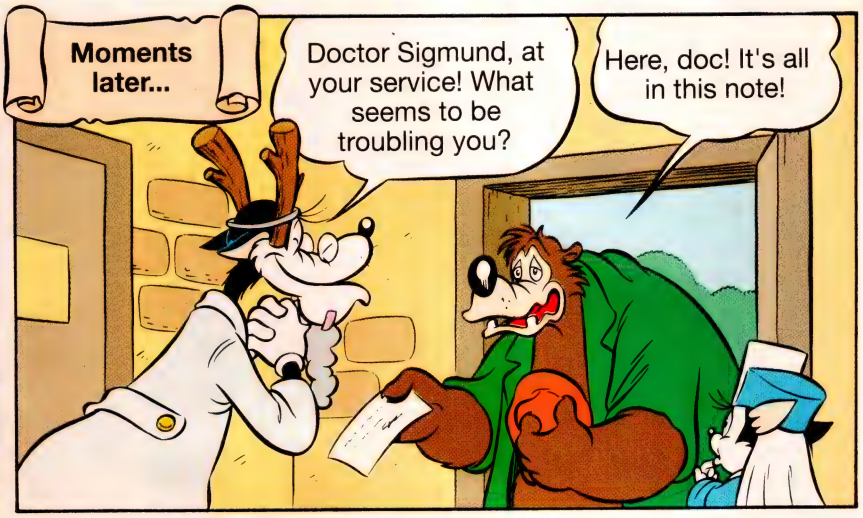


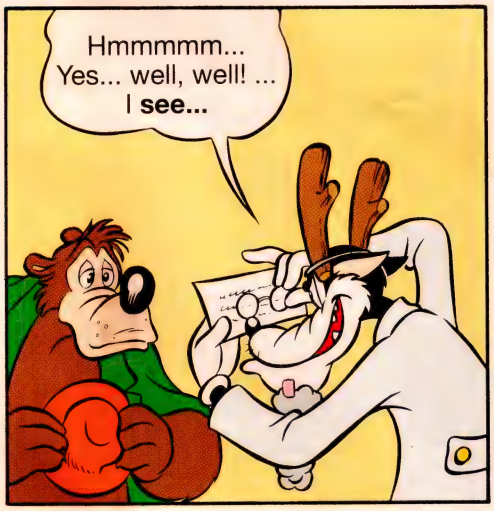
Uuullppp!
What's **that** old killjoy Bear doing here?!
Next!
Well, Farmer Bear! Some kind of fight I take it?!
It's not the bumps and bruises that bother me, doc!
It's my **nerves!** That no-good thieving Zeke Wolf's making my life a **misery!**
CONSULTING ROOM
I can't eat! I can't sleep! I think I'm going off my rocker!
This is serious, Farmer Bear! What you need is a **psychiatrist!**
Here! Take this note to my famous colleague, Doctor Sigmund in Littlewood!
Let's go, Li'l Wolf!
CONSULTING ROOM
But Pop! What about seeing the doc?
That's precisely what we're **going** to do, Li'l Wolf!
Now I want you to be a good lad and do exactly as you're told! (Pssst! Pssst!)...

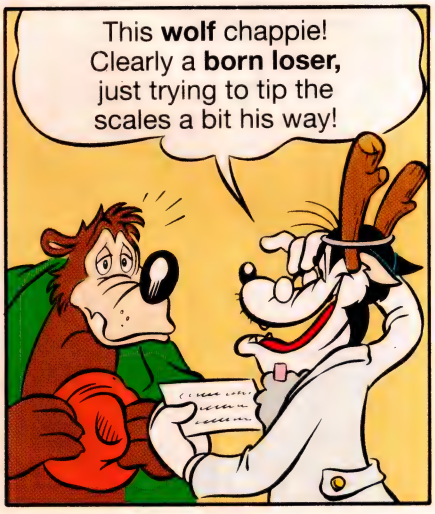
Bless me! What have we here?!
I-it's my Pop, doc!


He can't stand the light of day! (Sigh!)
In here, my poor fellow! **Quickly!**


I don't like the sound of this! Pop never said he'd beat up...
CRASH!
BASH!
WALLOP!


Moments later...
Doctor Sigmund, at your service! What seems to be troubling you?
Here, doc! It's all in this note!


Hmmmmm... Yes... well, well! ... I **see...**


This **wolf** chappie! Clearly a **born loser,** just trying to tip the scales a bit his way!

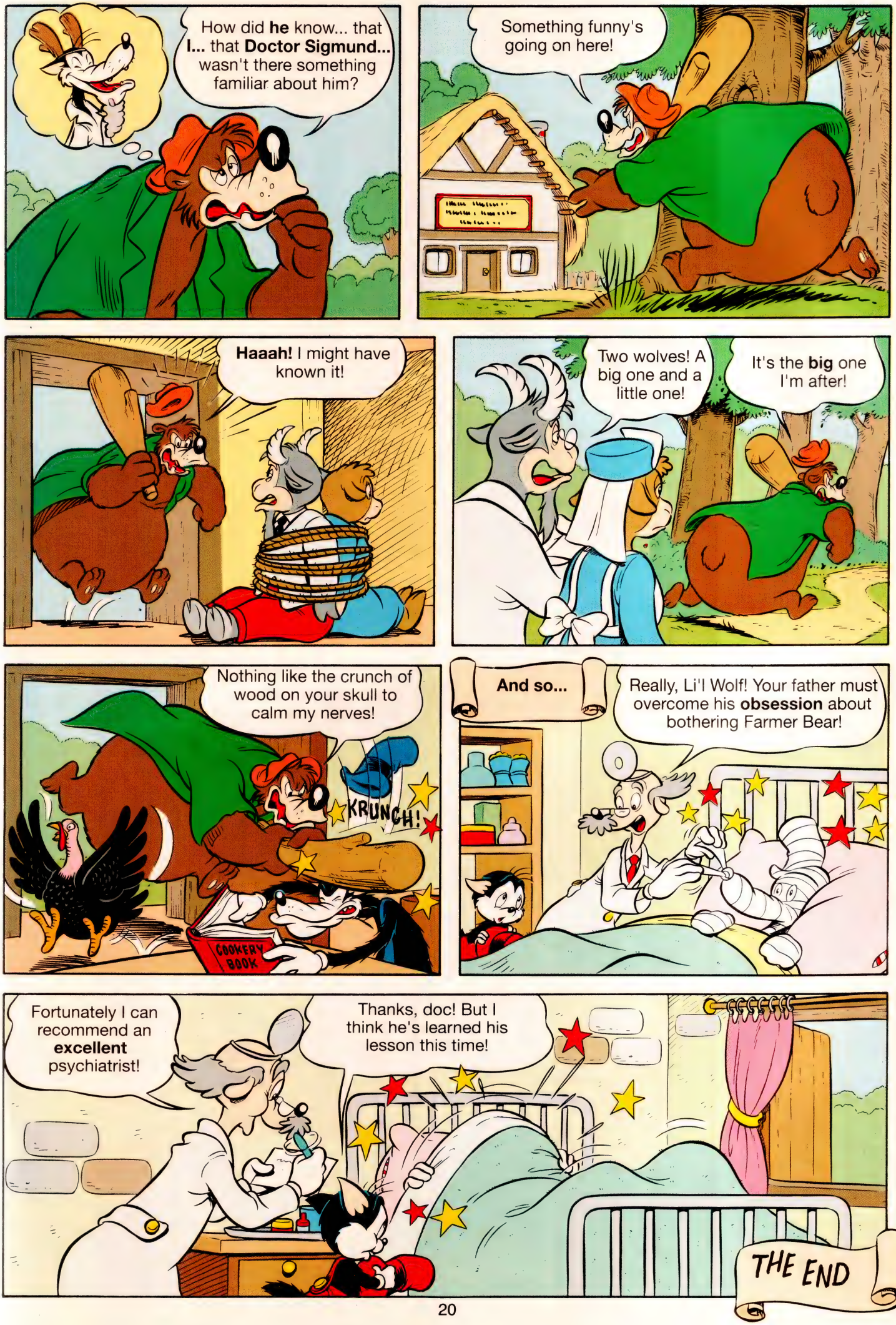
You catching him's just making him **more determined than ever!**

You should try a bit of **reverse psychology!**

Turn a blind eye now and then! Let him think he's put one over you!
Whaaaaat?
CONSULTING ROOM

You mean **let** that scavenging sour-puss steal my stuff?
Then the rest of the time he'll leave you in peace!
Okay, doc! I'm at my wit's end! I'll try **anything!**
Don't look so miserable! It **worked,** Li'l Wolf!
Shortly after...
Oh, oh! Here he comes!
Now to reap the rewards of my play acting!
Your behaviour is **disgusting,** Pop!
SQUAWK!
Come to Zeke, you little beauty!
Boo, hoo!
Just like robbing a **teddy** bear! (Hee, hee!)
I can't watch!
Gather some firewood, Li'l Wolf!
That poor helpless turkey! Somehow I've got to **pluck it** to safety!
Now let's see... turkey and tarragon sauce...
But **how?**
Hi, Li'l Wolf! What's cooking?!
That's it!

So happens Pop just nabbed himself a **turkey!**
Land sakes! That old buzzard's just got himself some guests for dinner!
Right from under Farmer Bear's nose!
You mean he just **strolled off** with it?
The old galoot never lifted a **finger** to stop him!
Come on! You're putting us on!
Scout's honour! It was **easy as pie!**
Turkey pie, for example! Let's get ourselves a slice of the action!
Soon...
What in tarnation's **this** all about?
You let Big Bad Wolf take one!
Why not **us?**
Whew! Half the forest's getting in on the act!
What have I let myself in for? (Sniff!)
Just a minute! That wily old wolf came strolling in here like he **owned** the place! Most unlike him!


How did **he** know... that **I**... that **Doctor Sigmund**... wasn't there something familiar about him?
Something funny's going on here!
Haaah! I might have known it!
Two wolves! A big one and a little one!
It's the **big** one I'm after!
Nothing like the crunch of wood on your skull to calm my nerves!
KRUNCH!
COOKERY BOOK
And so...
Really, Li'l Wolf! Your father must overcome his **obsession** about bothering Farmer Bear!
Fortunately I can recommend an **excellent** psychiatrist!
Thanks, doc! But I think he's learned his lesson this time!
THE END

JUST JOKING

HA HA SNIGGER TEE HEE CHORTLE HO HO GIGGLE

The Just Joking prize this week is this great new board game from Parker, Don't Wake Dad! You sneak out of bed in a race to the fridge for a midnight snack! But, be careful or you'll trip up and wake Dad!
If you would like to try to win our star joke prize, send in your favourite jokes to Just Joking, Mickey's Mail, P.O. Box 61, London, WC1H 9SG.

Q: What did Noah do when it went dark?
A: He turned on the **flood** lights!
Yasmin Turner, Basingstoke.

Q: What's a rabbit's favourite food?
A: Lolli-hops!
Andrea Williams, Co. Antrim.

Q: What has teeth but can't bite?
A: A comb!
Shelley Newman, Northampton.

Goofy: How do you swim 100 metres in two seconds flat?
Mickey: I don't know, Goofy.
Goofy: Swim over a waterfall!
Kevin Waller, London, E14.

Teacher: I hope I didn't see you cheating, John.
John: I hope you didn't see me, either!
Sasha Hedges, Doncaster.

Q: What did one pencil say to the other?
A: I've got a lead ache!
Paul Mann, Kent.

Janet: What's your son going to be when he passes his exams?
Neighbour: A pensioner, the way he's going!
Debbie Sharp, Aberdeen.

Some wacky book titles sent in by **Stephanie Attew** in Norfolk:
Are You A Millionaire by Jonah Lot.
The Haunted Room by Hugo First.
Fade Away by Peter Out.
Central Heating by Ray D. Ator.

Knock, knock.
Who's there?
Europe.
Europe who?
Europe early this morning!
Steven Cook, Pinner.

Minnie: Do you have a good memory?
Mickey: Not that I remember!
Claire Unwin, Bognor Regis.

Donald: When I got up this morning, there was an aeroplane in my bedroom!
Daisy: Really? How come.
Donald: Last night I left the landing light on!
Karim Preet, Hounslow.

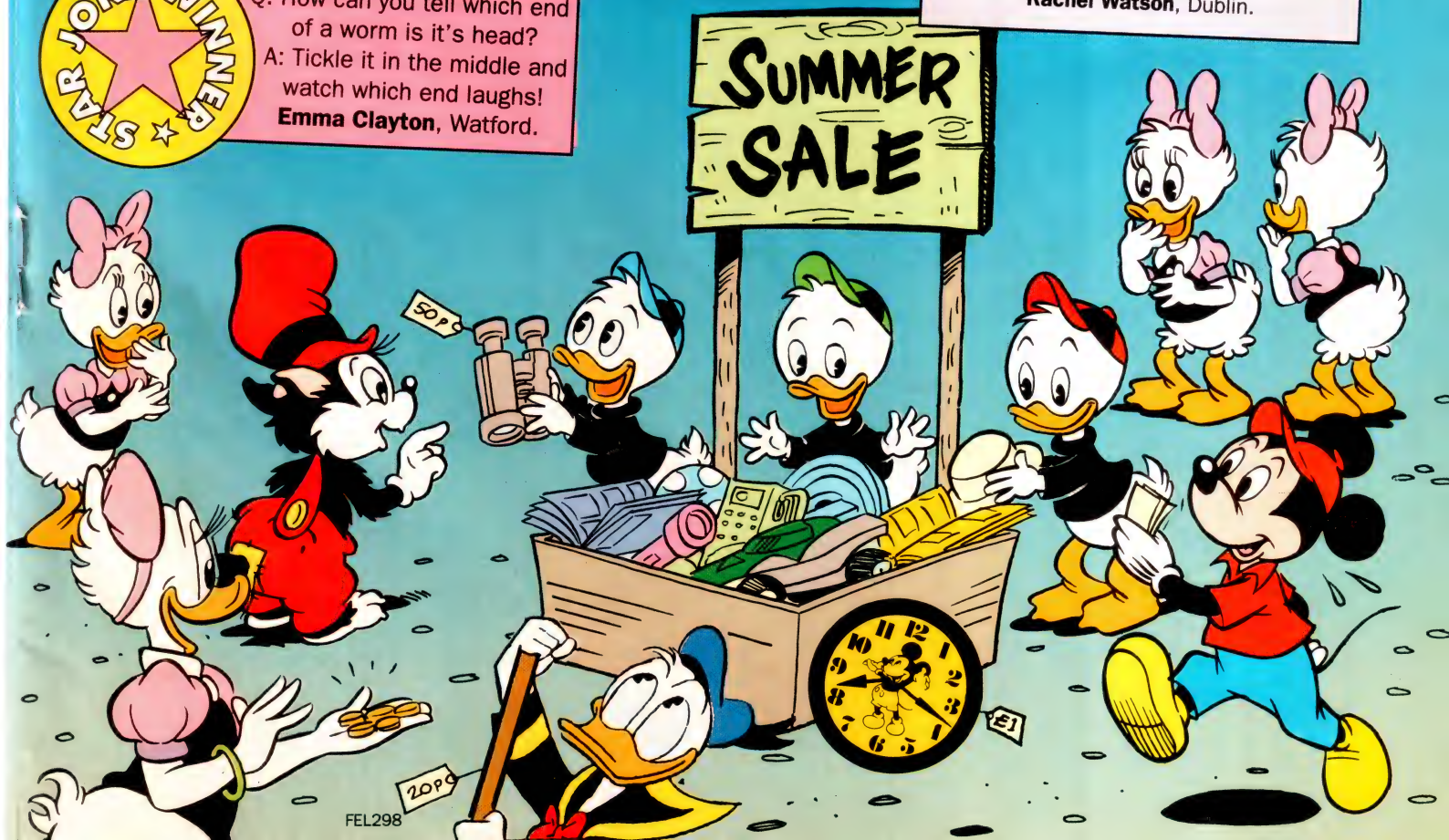
Q: What do thieves use to wake up in the mornings?
A: Burglar alarms!
David Teng, Norfolk.

Q: What's the definition of a slug?
A: A snail with a housing problem!
Mark Lasisi, Coventry.

Huey: Look at these chips. They're red, white and blue!
Dewey: That's because they're French fries!
Rachel Watson, Dublin.

STAR JOKE WINNER

Q: How can you tell which end of a worm is it's head?
A: Tickle it in the middle and watch which end laughs!
Emma Clayton, Watford.



TRICKS 'N' THINGS

SILLY SENTENCE!

Which well-known proverb could you substitute for this silly sentence: "A humble member of the feline tribe is not by law forbidden to gaze upon the visage of the highest and most august member of the realm"?

Answer:

A cat may look on a king.

CALLING ALL CLASSROOM CLOWNS!

Directing a first year to the gym instead of the science lab is old hat these days. So our department of school jokers has been thinking up some new ideas, and here they are for you laughter-raisers to try out on your pals ...

The missing tooth ...

Cut out a small piece of black paper just big enough to cover one of your front teeth and stick it on a front tooth. A nice big smile then becomes a big gappy grin - it might even frighten the life out of teacher!

Funny face ...

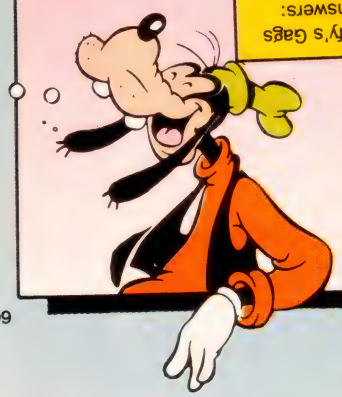
Draw a funny face in white chalk on the palm of your hand and then give a pal a nice friendly clap on the shoulder, leaving the chalky face on their back! It works best if your friend is wearing something black, or dark.

GOOFY'S GAGS

Goofy likes a good joke, but often gets the punchlines wrong! Can you sort them out?

1. What shivers and lies at the bottom of the ocean?
An E-type banana!
2. What's yellow and travels at 180MPH?
A sunburnt penguin!
3. What's black and white and red all over?
A nervous wreck!

Goofy's Gags
Answers:
1. A nervous wreck.
2. An E-type banana.
3. A sunburnt penguin.



CARDS ON THE TABLE!

Buy a packet of postcards and spread them out on a table in front of your audience. Invite everyone to take one. Now ask one of them (who's your accomplice) to write their surname on their card; everyone else must write their Christian name on their card.

Now get someone in the audience to blindfold you while everyone puts their cards back on the table.

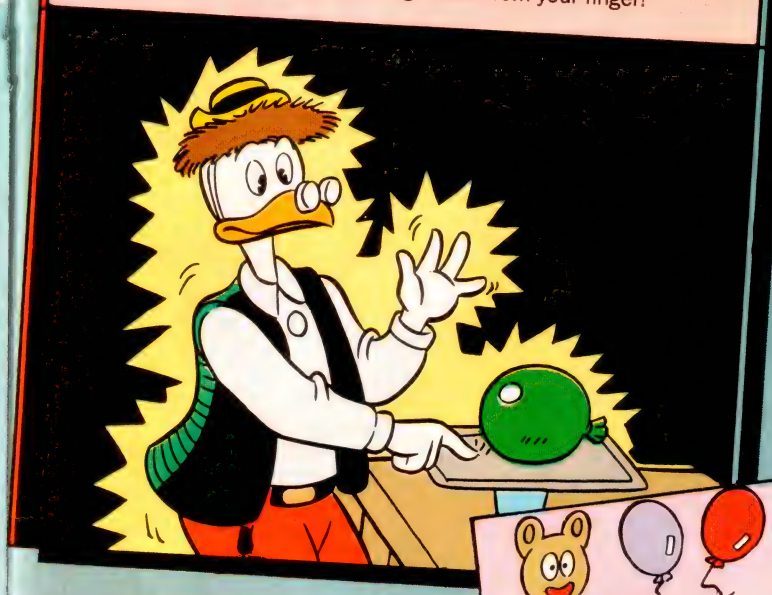
Within a minute you should be able to tell which card has the surname on it simply by touching it.

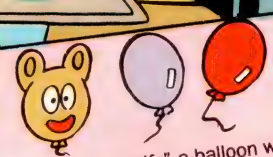
How it's done: Before showing your audience the post cards, you've cut a sliver of card off the edge of one of them - this is the one your accomplice should have chosen. Then, blindfolded, you chat away, feeling the length of the cards and searching for the cut edge with your fingers. You find it - and hold it up in triumph!

Inside Gyro's laboratory

A BIT OF A SHOCKER!

Place a sheet of metal on a dry cup. Blow up a balloon and rub it on your pullover, so that it's full of static electricity. Now lay it on the metal sheet. And now - wait for it! Just touch the metal sheet and you'll get a small electric shock. If you happen to have an audience, don't forget to give a good yell!
Try this in a dark room and you'll actually "see" the electricity in the form of a tiny "lightning" flash from your finger!





You can "electrify" a balloon with static electricity by rubbing it on your pullover or jersey.
Then put it against a wall or ceiling and you'll find the electricity will keep it there!

What were these famous people's Christian names: Nelson, Van Gogh, Lincoln, Da Vinci, Kipling?

NAMES, PLEASE!

Answer: Horatio, Vincent, Abraham, Leonardo, Rudyard.

HOW TO MAKE MONEY!

Say to your 'victim': "I bet you 1p that I'll give you 5p if you give me 2p."
Sounds to your 'victim' like a good thing. So let him give you the 2p - then give 1p back, saying that you lost the bet and this is his agreed winnings. The 1p you've saved from his 2p then becomes your net profit!

A good bet...

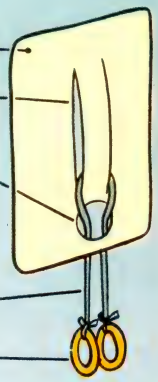
Alter one letter in each word to form a well-known proverb: "Bake ham whole thy son whines."

Answer: Make hay while the sun shines.

A Ring-a-Ding-Ding Trick

THE MAGIC RING

For this trick all you need is a length of string, two curtain rings and a rectangular piece of thin cardboard.



Question for your audience: Can you separate the rings from the card without tearing it? .....Answer: Yes - like this! Then, pull one of the rings through the loop!

Tip of the Week.

IT'S HARD TO CURE THE HICCUPS ...

... but here are a couple of suggestions that might help next time you start hic, hic, hiccupping ...

Suck a piece of ice ...

... then pat the top of your head with one hand and rub your tummy in circles with the other!

Take a deep breath ...

... and fill your mouth with water. Stick your fingers in your ears - then get someone to pat you on the back!

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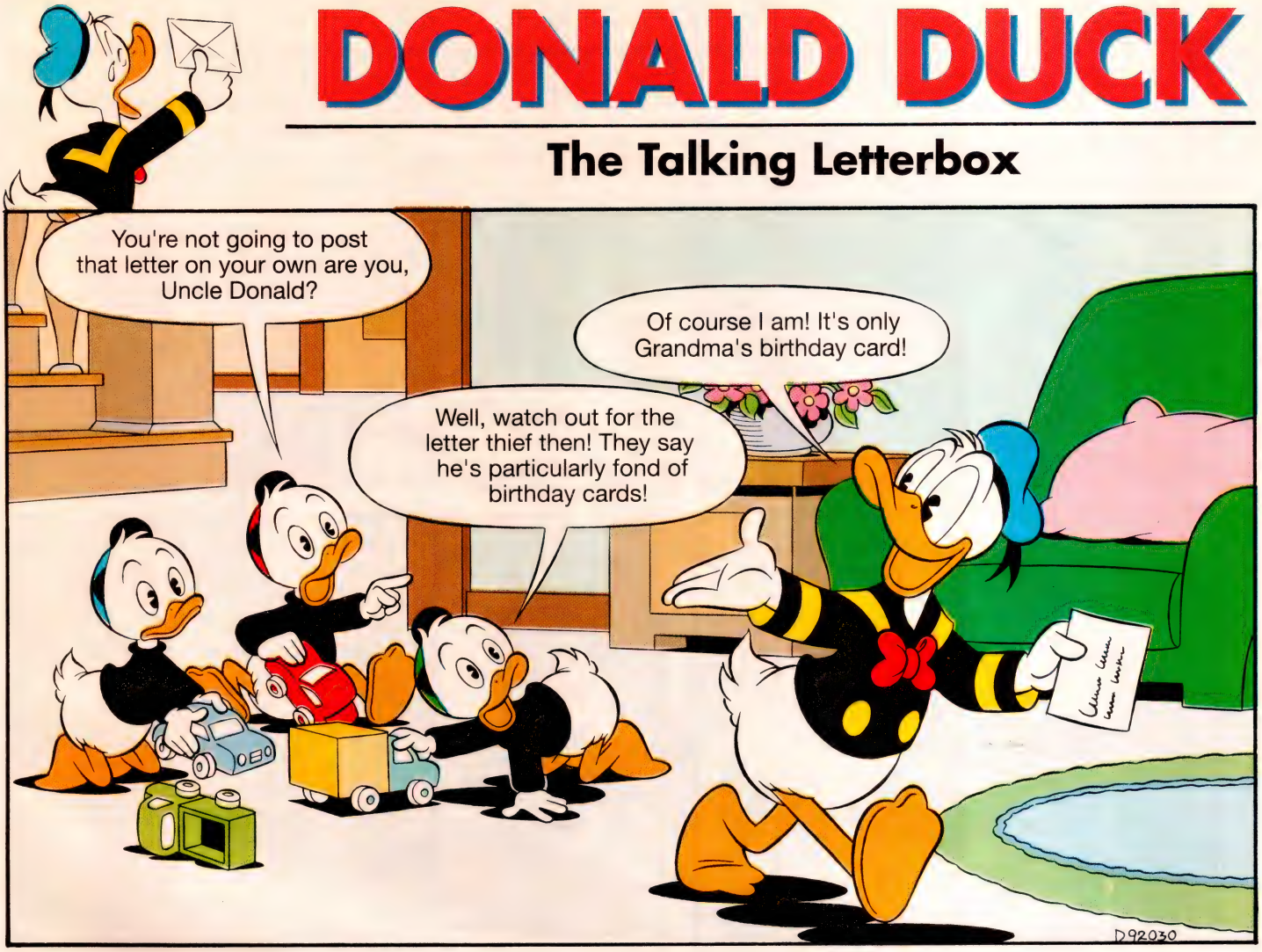
DONALD DUCK

The Talking Letterbox


You're not going to post that letter on your own are you, Uncle Donald?
Of course I am! It's only Grandma's birthday card!
Well, watch out for the letter thief then! They say he's particularly fond of birthday cards!
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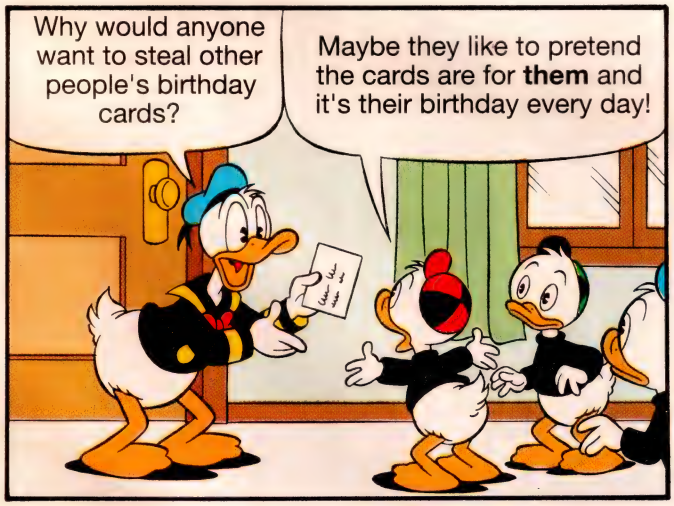
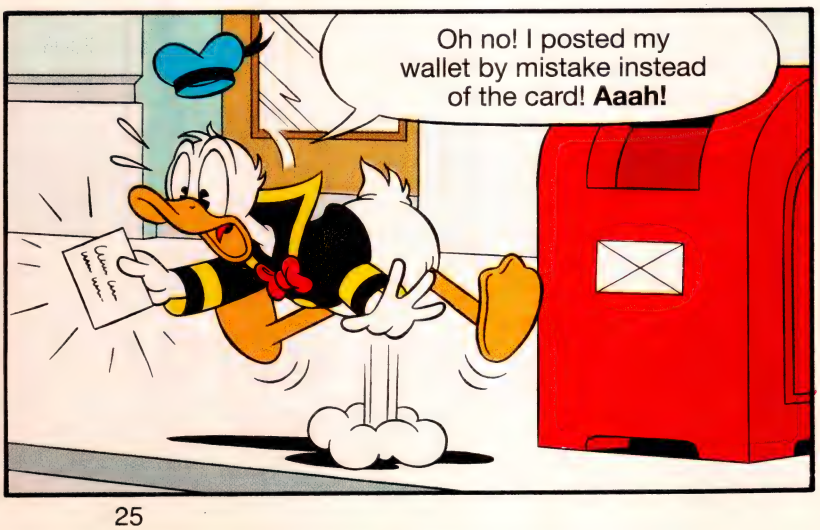
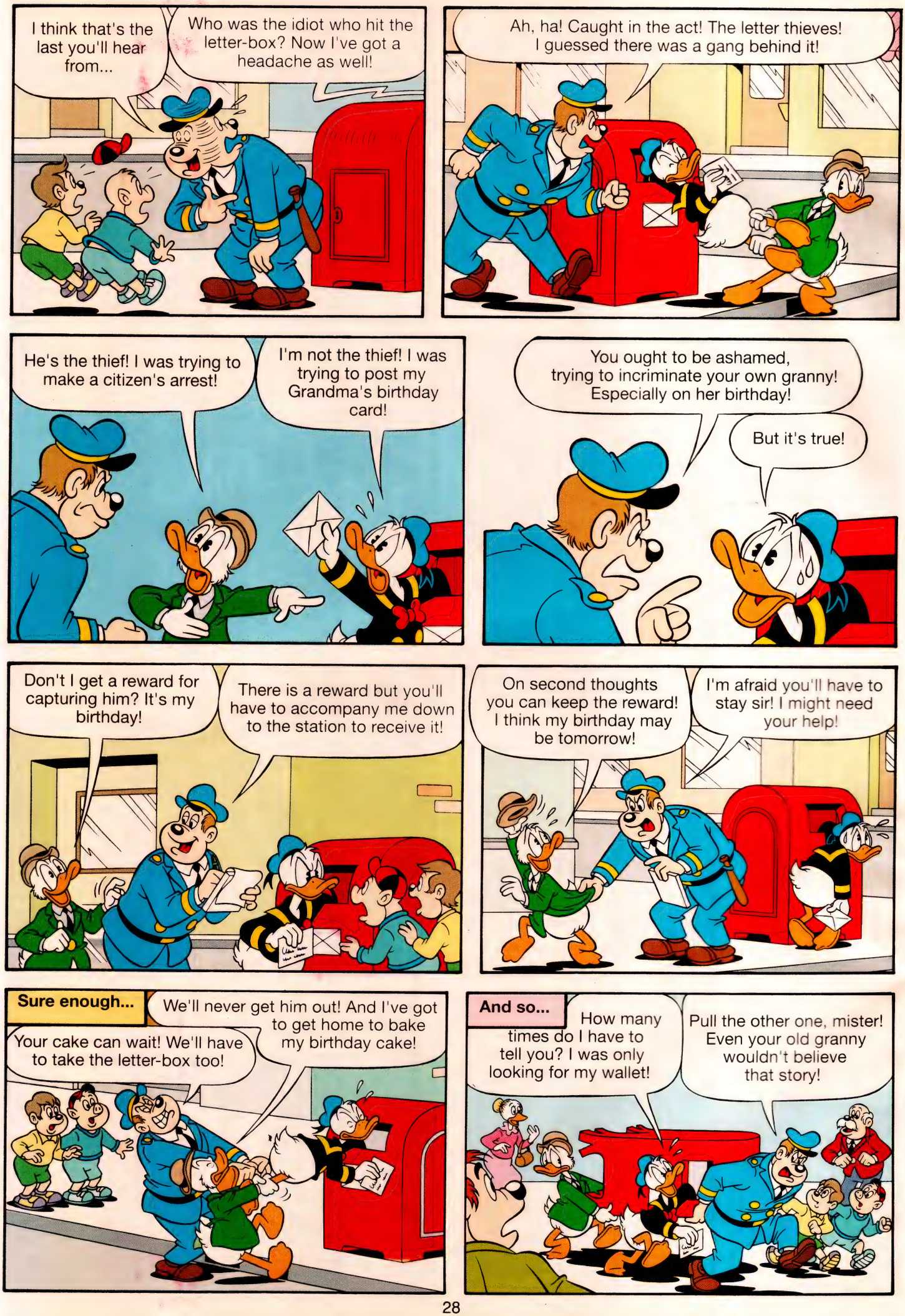

Why would anyone want to steal other people's birthday cards?
Maybe they like to pretend the cards are for **them** and it's their birthday every day!



I'll have to try and get it back! Uh-oh.. can't quite reach the bottom!
Yikes! I don't believe it! I can't get my arm out! I'll be stuck here all day long!
Aaah! First my wallet, then my arm! I just hate these kind of days!
But not long afterwards...
Happy birthday to me! Hap... huh! A rival letter thief, stealing all my birthday cards! I'll put a stop to that!
Get your hands off my letters! You wretched letter thief!
?
Aaah! I'm not a letter thief!
What are you doing with your arm in that letter box then? Don't tell me you're trying to address an envelope!
I was looking for my wallet!
Looking for your wallet in a letter-box? You'll be looking for your dinner in a dustbin next! Come out of there!
Ye-oww! That hurts!

Meanwhile, coming along the same street...
Gissus a lick of your ice cream! I've finished mine!
No! Serves you right for being such a little pig! M'mm! Delicious!
I'll just have to nick it then!
Stop it! It's not **yours!**
Aaagh!
I'll never try and steal your ice cream again!
It must be a **ghost!** I'll never eat another ice-cream!
How am I going to be made Sergeant when all I do is rescue old ladies' cats? I wish something exciting would happen!
What? Wuzzat?
Sir, officer, please! That letter-box is talking to itself!
It shouts as well! And it probably bites too!
A talking letter box, eh? That's gotta be against the law!
Be really careful! It sounded mighty angry!
It looks like a very ordinary letter box to me! And it's not making any noise! Are you sure it's a talking letter box?
It must be a real cunning letter-box!
OK, OK! Take that you screaming letter box! That's for scaring a little pig!
CLANG!

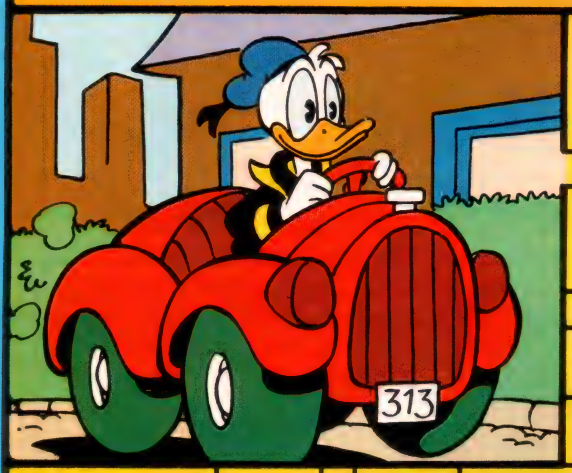

I think that's the last you'll hear from...
Who was the idiot who hit the letter-box? Now I've got a headache as well!
Ah, ha! Caught in the act! The letter thieves! I guessed there was a gang behind it!
He's the thief! I was trying to make a citizen's arrest!
I'm not the thief! I was trying to post my Grandma's birthday card!
You ought to be ashamed, trying to incriminate your own granny! Especially on her birthday!
But it's true!
Don't I get a reward for capturing him? It's my birthday!
There is a reward but you'll have to accompany me down to the station to receive it!
On second thoughts you can keep the reward! I think my birthday may be tomorrow!
I'm afraid you'll have to stay sir! I might need your help!
Sure enough...
We'll never get him out! And I've got to get home to bake my birthday cake!
Your cake can wait! We'll have to take the letter-box too!
And so...
How many times do I have to tell you? I was only looking for my wallet!
Pull the other one, mister! Even your old granny wouldn't believe that story!

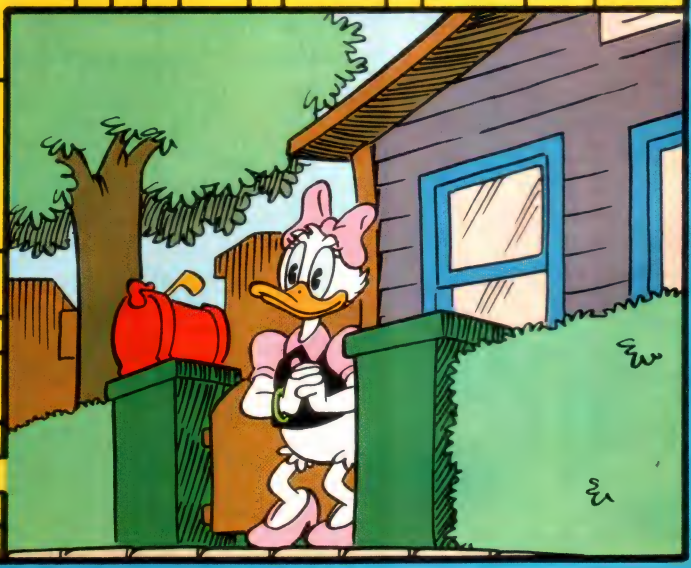
Hey, that's the letter thief! I recognise him from the photofit picture!
I know! And he won't get away! A letter box is much better than handcuffs!
No not him! Him!
I wondered why he wasn't so keen on going down to the police station! There go my sergeant's stripes!
CRASH!
Stop sergeant! I mean, stop thief!
But it's my birthday!
What a day! Well, at least I haven't ended up in jail!
Hey, what do you think you're doing? You can get six months in jail for vandalising Duckburg Post Office property!
DUCKBURG MAIL COLLECTION
SCREECH!
But I only wanted to post a birthday card for my grandma!
Well, thank goodness you didn't! There's no stamp on it!
Later that day...
Yes!
Donald, this is Daisy! I wonder if you could do me a favour... post Grandma's birthday card for me?
RING! RI...
You see, my car... whirrrrrrrr!
Daisy! I think the line's been cut off!
CLICK!

MICKEY'S PUZZLES

DAISY'S BIRTHDAY!

Donald is on his way to visit Daisy and wish her a happy birthday. But before he gets there, he has to pick up, first, the cake, then the bottle of champagne, and next the present. Which way should he go?



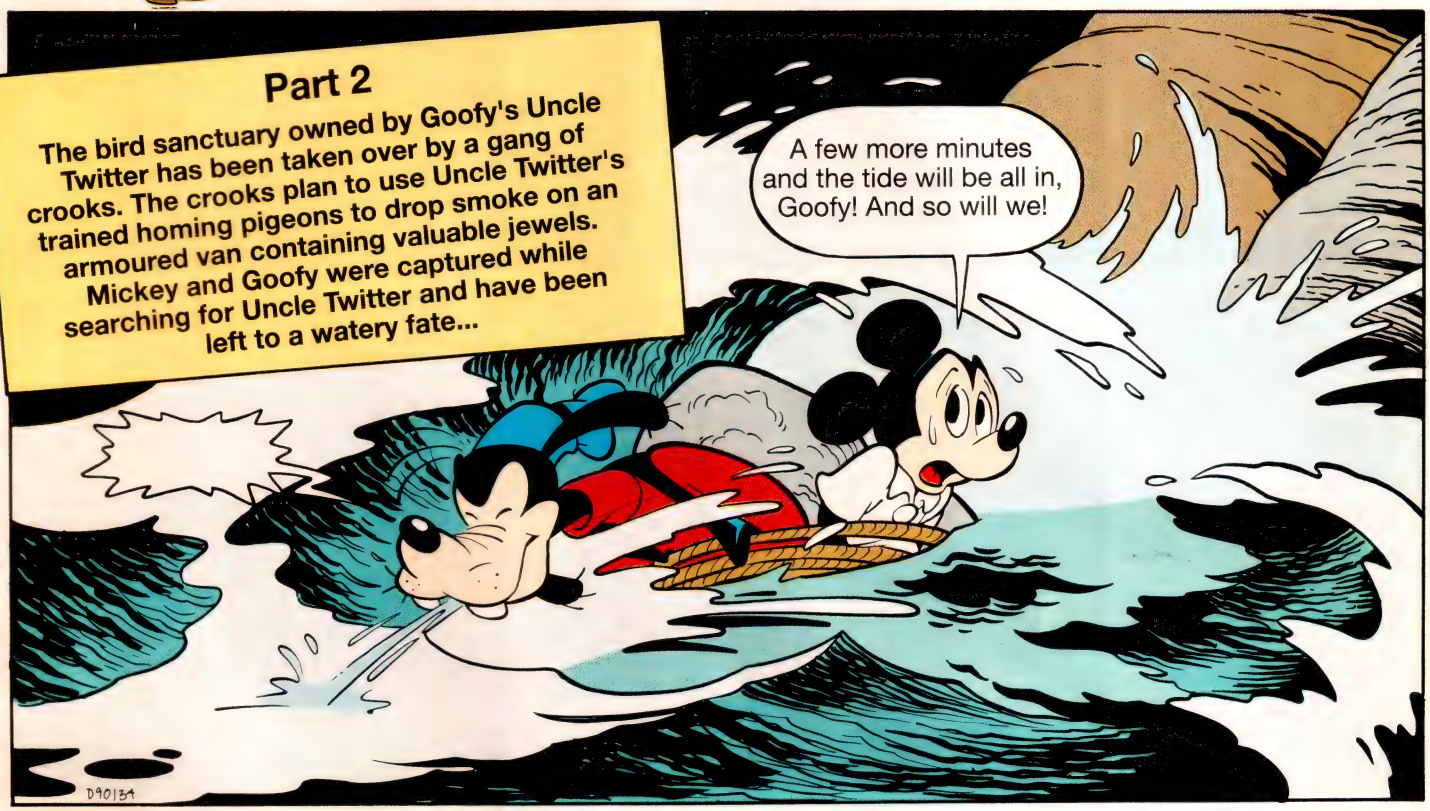


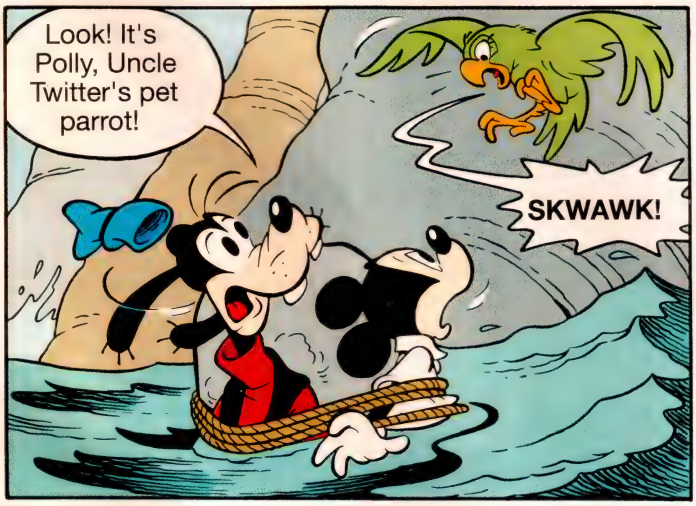
MICKEY & GOOFY

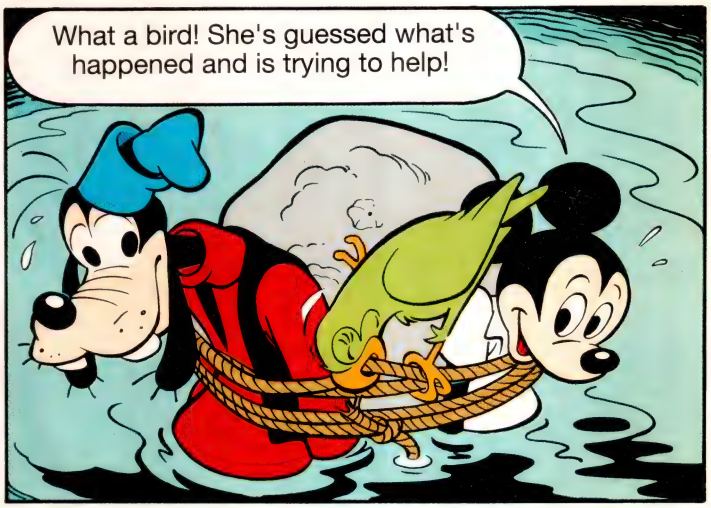
Dirty Work At Uncle Twitter's!

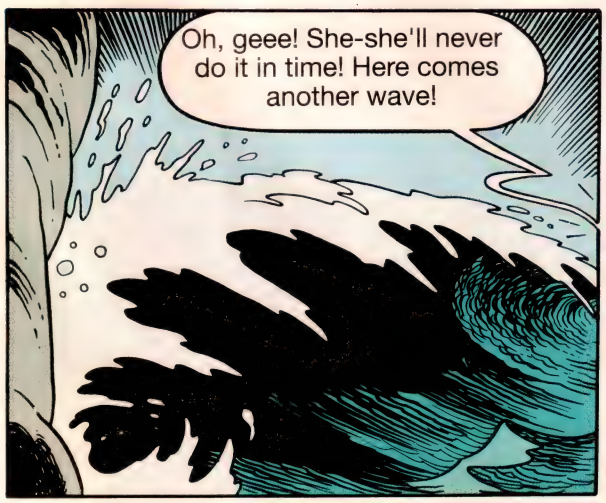
Part 2

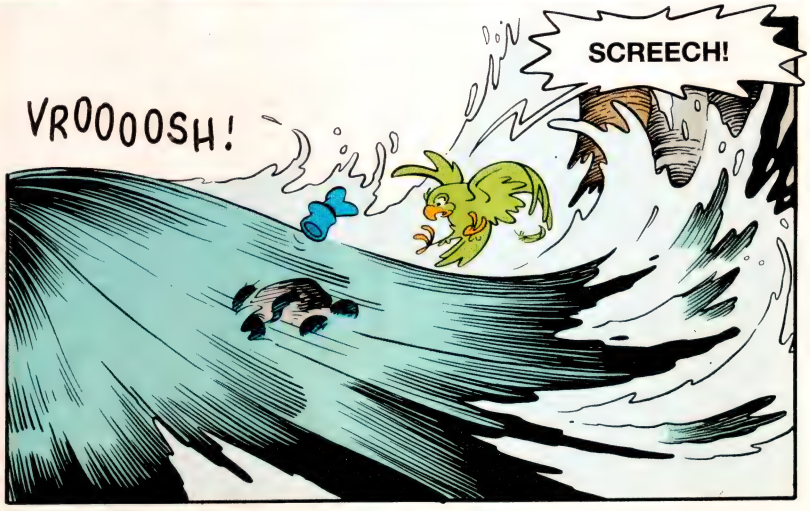
The bird sanctuary owned by Goofy's Uncle Twitter has been taken over by a gang of crooks. The crooks plan to use Uncle Twitter's trained homing pigeons to drop smoke on an armoured van containing valuable jewels. Mickey and Goofy were captured while searching for Uncle Twitter and have been left to a watery fate...

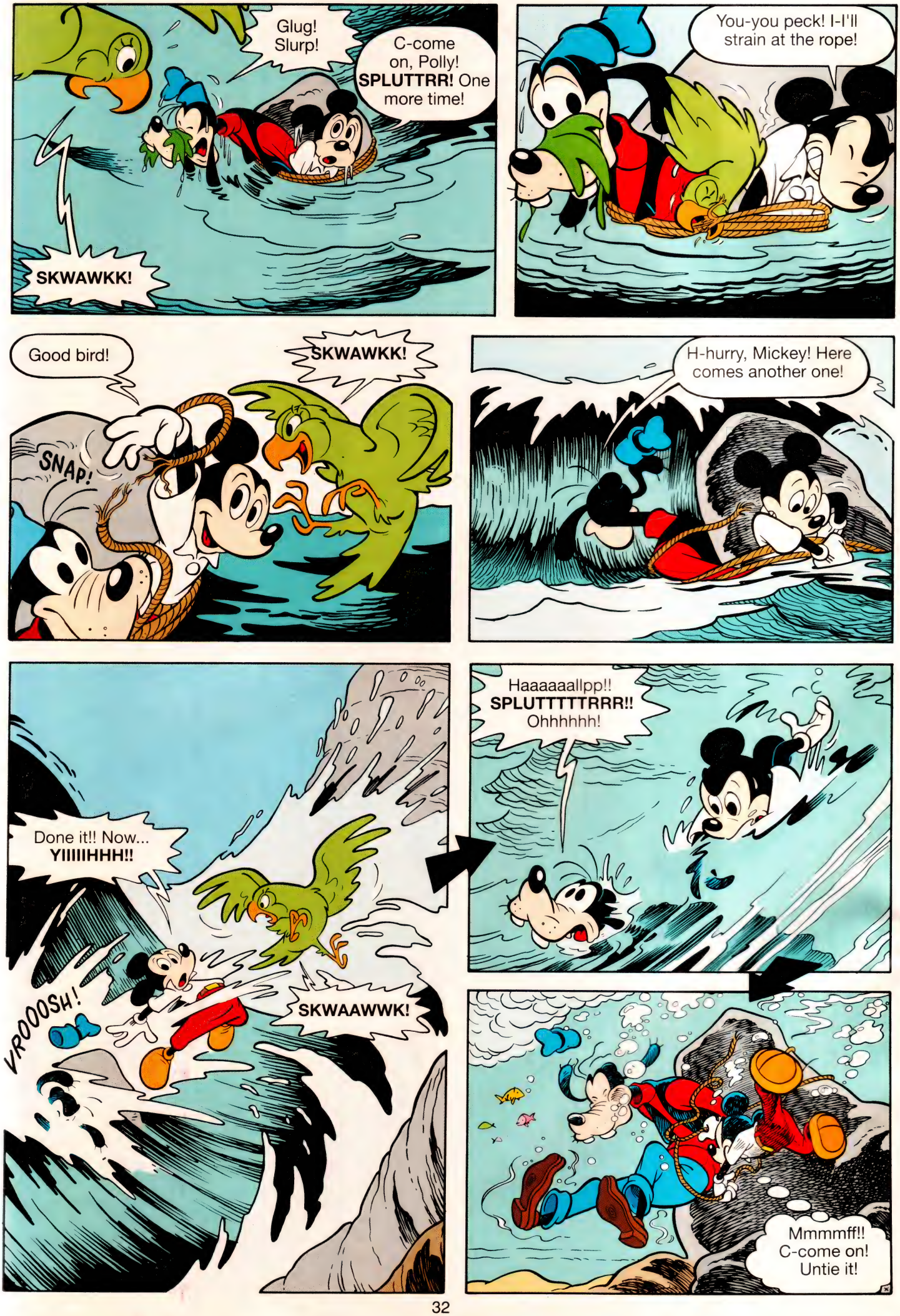


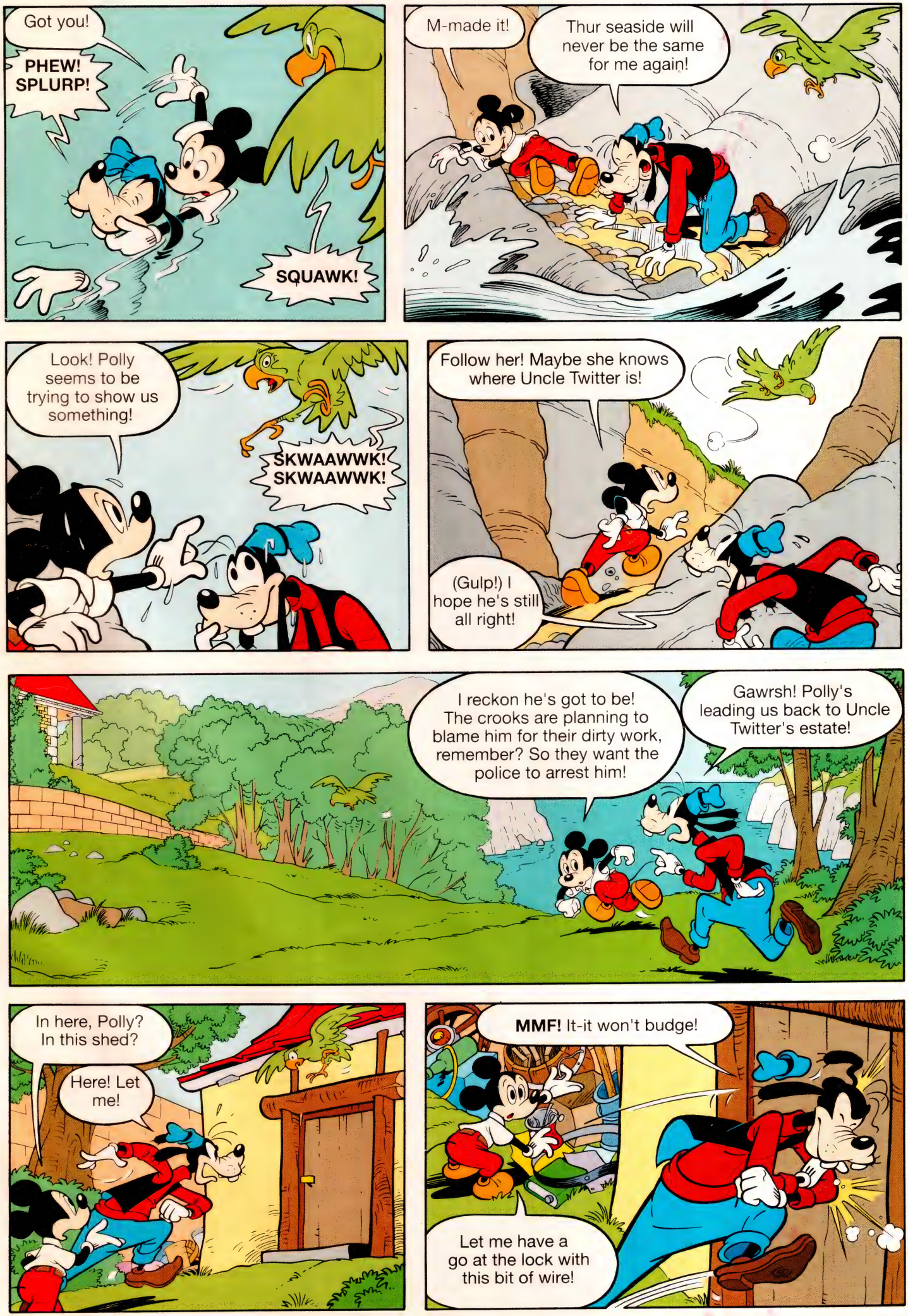


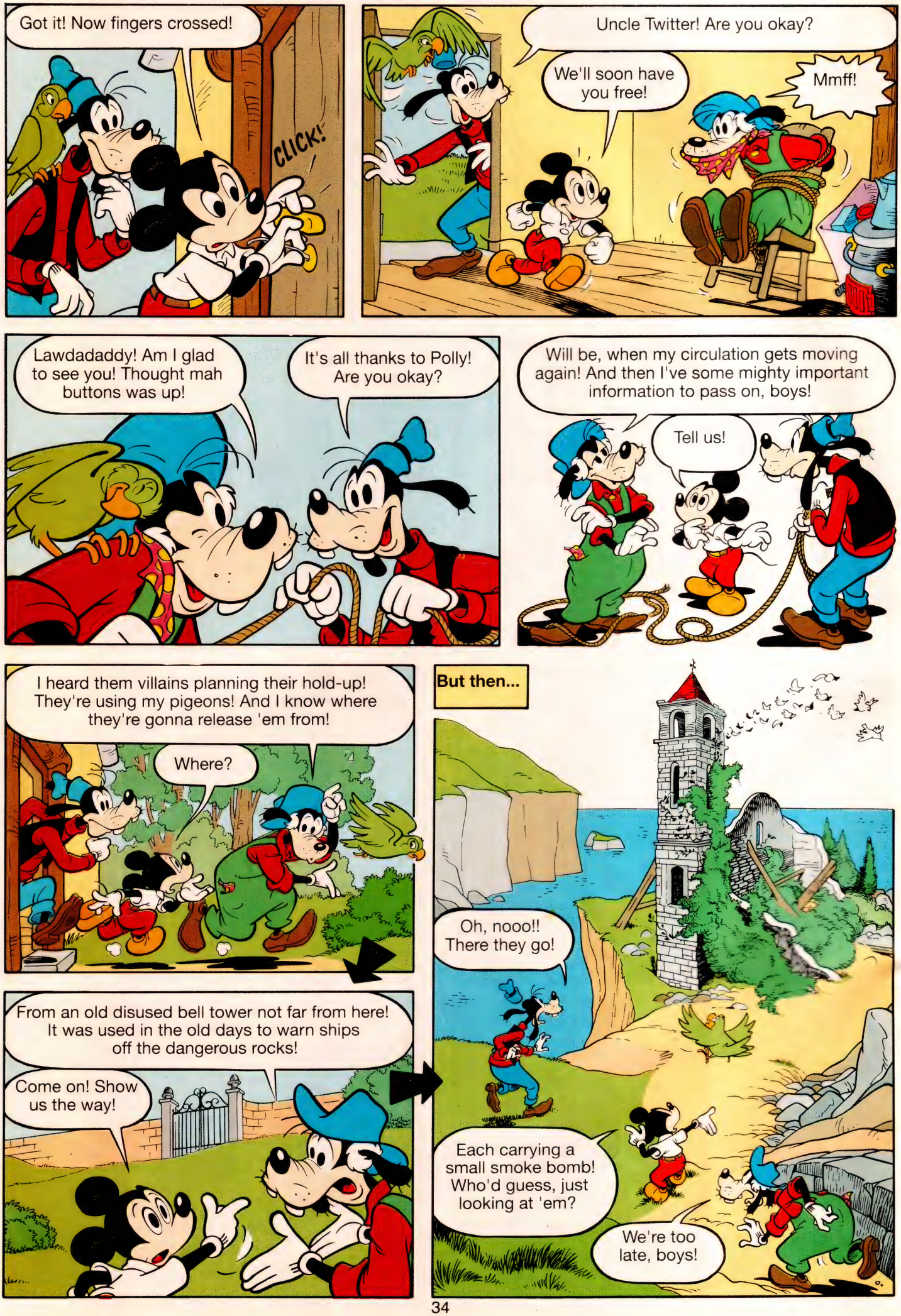


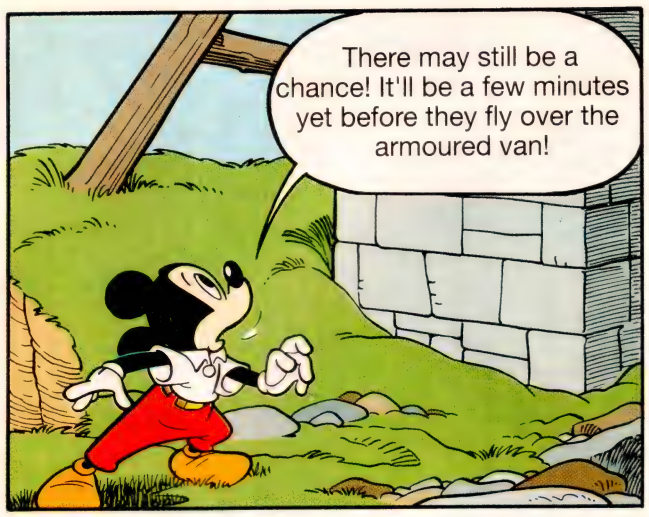





Glug! Slurp!
C-come on, Polly! SPLUTTRR! One more time!
SKWAWKK!
You-you peck! I-I'll strain at the rope!
Good bird!
SKWAWKK!
SNAP!
H-hurry, Mickey! Here comes another one!
Done it!! Now... YIIIIIHHH!!
VROOOSH!
SKWAAWWK!
Haaaaaallpp!! SPLUTTTTTRRR!! Ohhhhhh!
Mmmmff!! C-come on! Untie it!

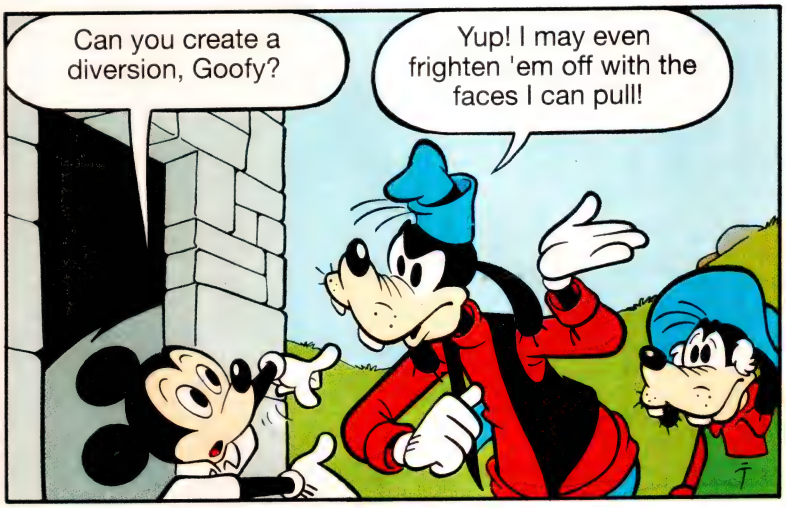

Got you!
PHEW! SPLURP!
SQUAWK!
M-made it!
Thur seaside will never be the same for me again!
Look! Polly seems to be trying to show us something!
SKWAAWWK! SKWAAWWK!
Follow her! Maybe she knows where Uncle Twitter is!
(Gulp!) I hope he's still all right!
I reckon he's got to be! The crooks are planning to blame him for their dirty work, remember? So they want the police to arrest him!
Gawrsh! Polly's leading us back to Uncle Twitter's estate!
In here, Polly? In this shed?
Here! Let me!
MMF! It-it won't budge!
Let me have a go at the lock with this bit of wire!

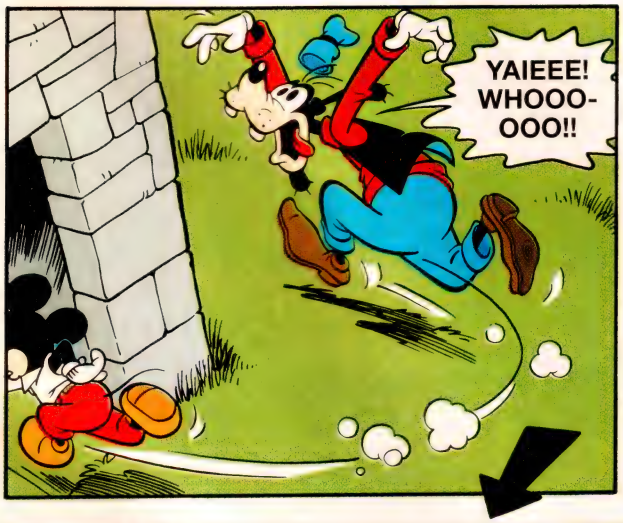

Got it! Now fingers crossed!
CLICK!
Uncle Twitter! Are you okay?
We'll soon have you free!
Mmff!
Lawdadaddy! Am I glad to see you! Thought mah buttons was up!
It's all thanks to Polly! Are you okay?
Will be, when my circulation gets moving again! And then I've some mighty important information to pass on, boys!
Tell us!
I heard them villains planning their hold-up! They're using my pigeons! And I know where they're gonna release 'em from!
Where?
But then...
Oh, nooo!! There they go!
From an old disused bell tower not far from here! It was used in the old days to warn ships off the dangerous rocks!
Come on! Show us the way!
Each carrying a small smoke bomb! Who'd guess, just looking at 'em?
We're too late, boys!


There may still be a chance! It'll be a few minutes yet before they fly over the armoured van!

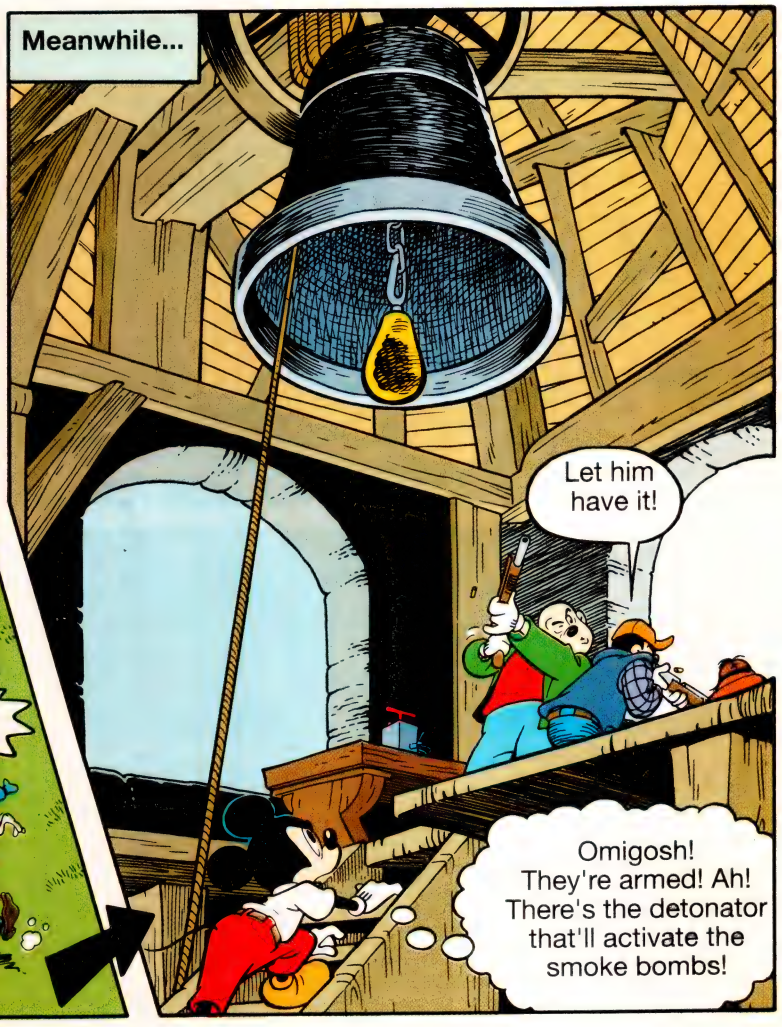
Come on! We could still be able to stop 'em before it's too late!

There are the crooks, just waiting to pick their moment! I'm going to have to climb the tower to stand a chance!


Can you create a diversion, Goofy?
Yup! I may even frighten 'em off with the faces I can pull!


YAIEEE! WHOOO-OOO!!

It's that sap we left tied to the rock! He's out to cause trouble! Shoot him!
YIIII-HEEEEE!!
How on earth did he get free?


Meanwhile...
Let him have it!
Omigosh! They're armed! Ah! There's the detonator that'll activate the smoke bombs!

Whoops! Time I ducked!
CRACK!
CRACK!
Almost there!
Tarnation!
CREAK!
The other one! Grab him!
Hff!
The van's coming!
Quick! Throw this punk out of the window!
Hey! N-no!!
Yeah!
AAAAAAHHH!

OHHHH!
Mickey!!
Gaawweesshh! I've got to stop those crooks!
I'll have to do something quickly!
Ready? They're almost over target!
Th-this might do the trick!
HFFFF! MMFFFF!
Heh, heh!
CLAAAANG! DONNNNGG!

CLAAAAANNNGGG! DONNNNGGGG!
YIIIIIHHHH!
CLAAANNNGGGG!
OHHHHHH!! St-stop it!!
Can't hear-I've got ringing in my ears!
I've defused the detonator!
We'll take care of these scoundrels!
In you go lads!
Looks like you pigeon fanciers have got the bird! Yuk! Yuk!
PHEW! The van's safe!
Heh, heh! Now that's what I call a ring-a-ding rescue!
Later...
Mmm! Everything's back to normal, boys! Exactly as I like it!
Yup! This is another case we can pigeon-hole!
'Sright Goofy! You could say it was a case strictly for the birds!

Mickey's mail

Mickey's Mail, P.O. Box 61, London WC1H 9SG

DEAR MICKEY,
My brother is a funk-bass guitarist and is always making a noise around the house. Do your nephews play any instruments, and, if so, do they play quietly?
Elizabeth Dive, Weybridge.
They have tried everything from the drums to the didgeridoo until I shouted didgeri-DONT! Love Mickey.

This beautiful picture of **Minnie** dancing by a rainbow was drawn for us by **Katherine Clark** from Norfolk.

DEAR MICKEY,
Here is a poem I have written about your comic:

When I go walking down the street,
I never feel alone,
Because in my heart I know I'll meet
My friends when I get home.

Mickey and his gang of friends,
Are in my comic book.
The fun and games just never end.
Why don't you take a look?

Katie Wood, Birmingham.
Gosh, that's great, Katie. You're right - the fun and games just go on and on! Love Mickey.

Thank you to **Andrei Radaneahu** in London, W14 for his groovy picture of **Goofy**.

DEAR DONALD,
If you could boss Uncle Scrooge around, what would be the first thing you would tell him to do?
Shane Gallagher, Glasgow.
I'd order him to give me all his money! Love Donald.

SURPRISE! SURPRISE!

A big Mickey Mouse hug goes to: **Gillian Griffin**, **Sarah Casey**, **Lucy Wood**, **Jonathan Parish**, **Karl Reynolds**, **Rachel Dedman**, and **Heather Lunn**.

STAR LETTER

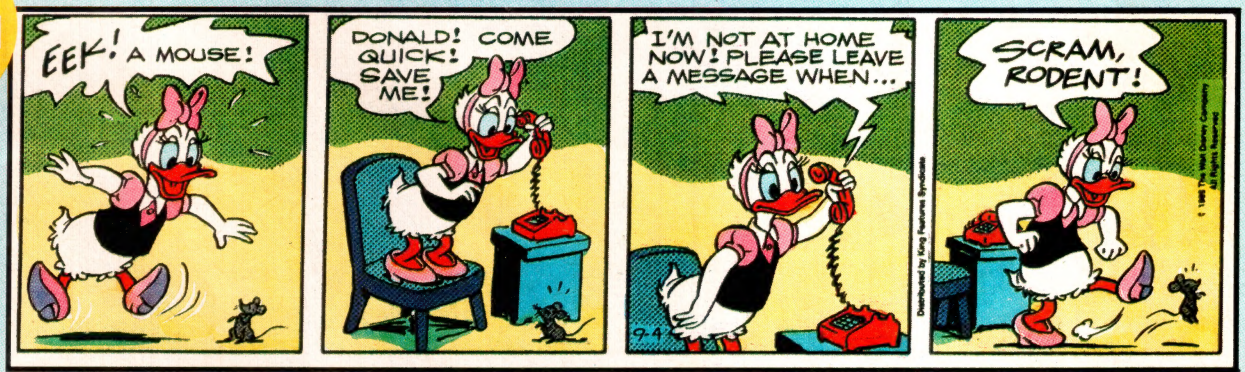
educational insights

The star prize for *Mickey's Mail* this week is this great **I.Q. Arcade** game from **Educational Insights**. It's an exciting, hand-held, fast paced computerised game complete with LCD read out, flashing lights and great sounds! It can be played alone or with friends. If you would like to try to win our star prize, send in your letters, poems and drawings to **Mickey's Mail** at the address above.

The star prize for this week goes to **Katy Kew** from Merseyside for her fantastic picture of Donald Duck - I hope he doesn't get stung!

LAST LAUGH

Solutions to last week's Mickey's puzzles: **1.** A= 2, B= 0. **2.** Knife and fork. **3.** Dish two. **4.** Sunglasses on waiter, joined up fork and spoon in front of Mickey, fish behind kitchen door, jacket on waiter's sleeve instead of napkin, Donald's missing chair leg. **5.** Donald's glass is empty, bread is cut, cherry on cake is smaller, his bowl is empty and there's a different pattern on his mousse.



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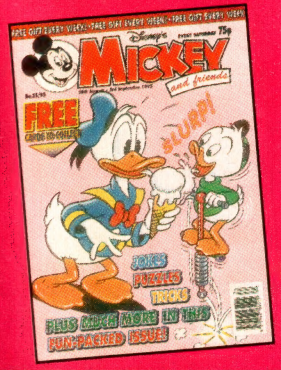

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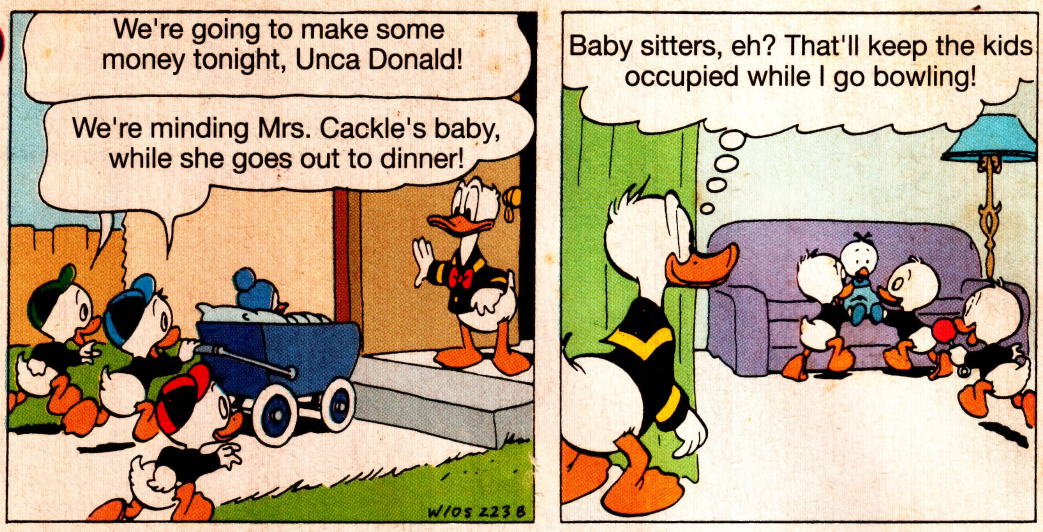
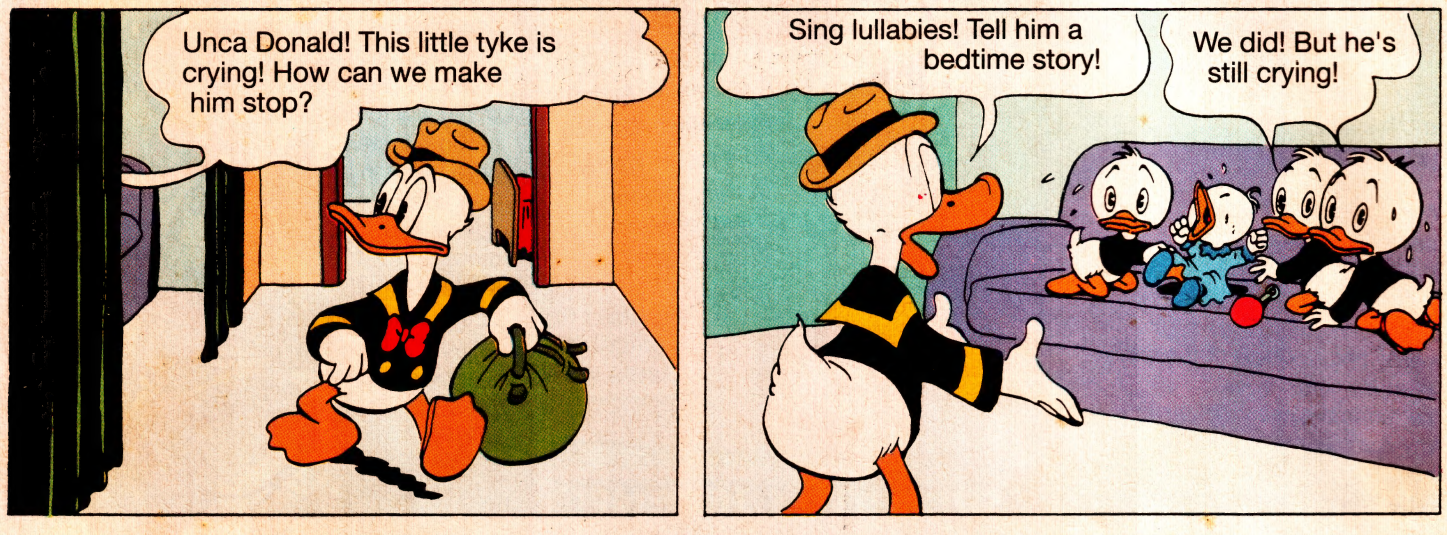
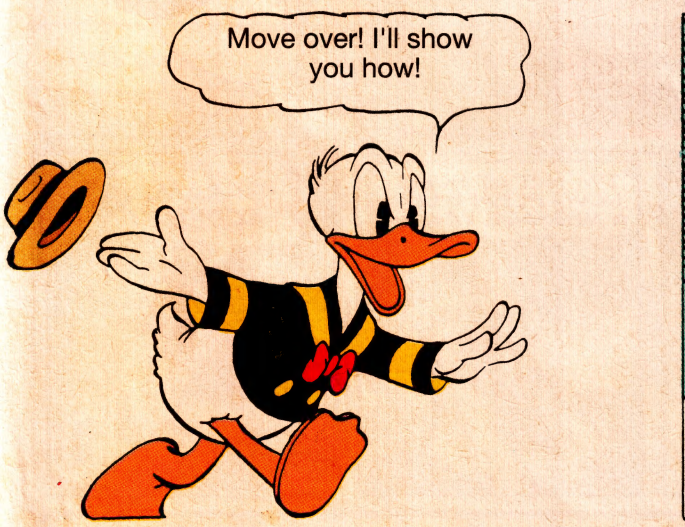
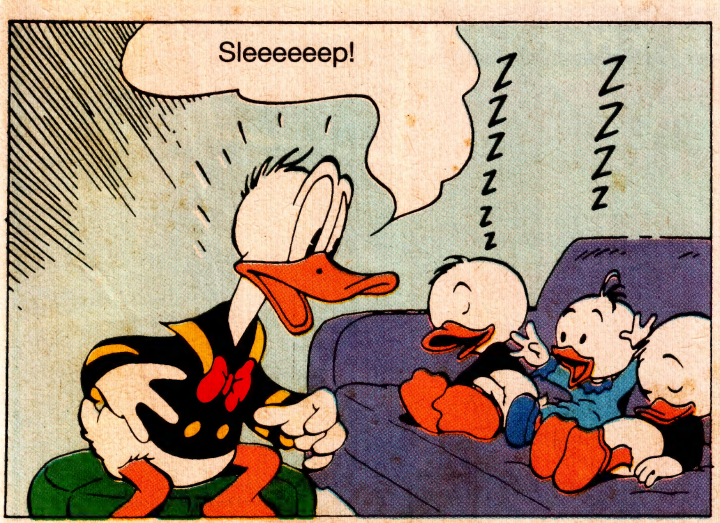
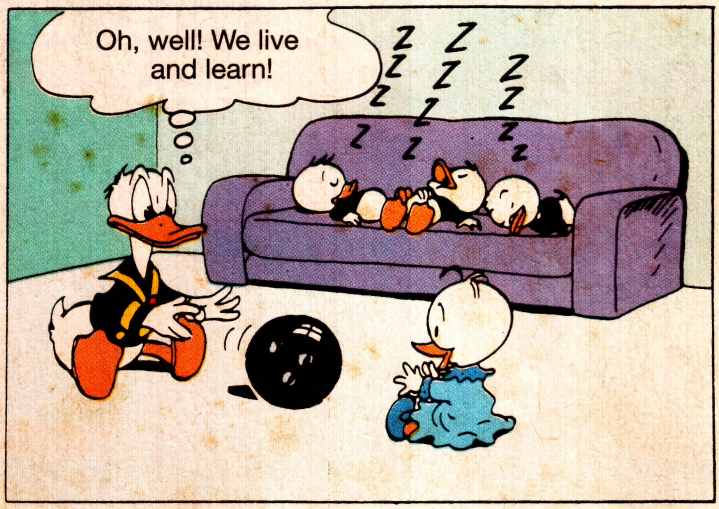
DONALD DUCK

Sings Lullaby!

A CARL BARKS CLASSIC Disney's MICKEY and friends


We're going to make some money tonight, Unca Donald!
We're minding Mrs. Cackle's baby, while she goes out to dinner!
Baby sitters, eh? That'll keep the kids occupied while I go bowling!


Unca Donald! This little tyke is crying! How can we make him stop?
Sing lullabies! Tell him a bedtime story!
We did! But he's still crying!